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Births.

ANDERSON.—February 7, at Beechwood, Corunna-road, Stanmore, the wife of Edwin Anderson—a daughter.

BEACH.—January 28, 1902, at 72 Mariam-street, Enmore, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beach, a daughter.

BREWSTER.—January 29, 1902, at her residence, No. 6 The Terrace, Bourke-street, Redfern, the wife of Wm. A. Brewster, a son.

CLARKE.—January 19, at her residence, Eloness, Woolwich, to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Clarke, a son.

COHEN.—February 4, at Halcyon, Newcastle, the wife of S. S. Cohen, of a son.

DUNN.—January 27, at Kholoville, North Ryde, the wife of George A. A. Dunn, of a daughter.

GAIRNS.—January 25, at her residence, Ena, Nelson-street, Woollahra, the wife of Robert Gairns, of a son (Reginald Robert).

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GIBSON.—February 4, 1902, at Dartmoor, Gladstone-parade, Lindfield, the wife of G. H. Gibson—a daughter.

HALL-THOMPSON.—February 2, at Ideraway, Elizabeth Bay-road, Sydney, the wife of Lieutenant F. H. Hall-Thompson, R.N., of a son.

KING.—On January 26 (Anniversary Day), at her residence, Eastbourne, Clifford-street, Mosman, the wife of Alfred Tellis King, of a daughter.

LOEWENTHAL.—January 31, at her residence, Home, Summer-street, Orange, the wife of A. M. Loewenthal—a son.

MOSES.—January 12, 1902, at her residence, Maybe-street, Bombala, the wife of Cecil F. Moses, of a son.

MUNN.—January 7, at her residence, Rockdale, the wife of Thomas A. Munn, of a son.

O'MULLANE.—January 31, 1902, at 234 Elizabeth-street, city, the wife of W. O'Mullane, of Dubbo—a son.

PROUD.—February 7, at their residence, The Grove, Liverpool-road, Enfield, the wife of Thomas J. Proud, jun., of a daughter.

RAGAN.—January 31, at her residence, 168 Denison-street, Kingston, the wife of Charles Ragan, of a daughter.

SMITH.—January 18, 1902, at her residence, Condor-street, Burwood, the wife of Archibald Smith—a son.

STONE.—January 21, 1902, at Redan-street, Mosman, the wife of Edward G. Stone—a daughter.

THOMAS.—February 1, 1902, at Nelgowrie, Wivenhoe, Narellan, the wife of E. W. R. Timmas—a son.

VIVERS.—February 6, 1902, at her residence, Estale, North Sydney, the wife of A. L. Vivers, of a son.

WATSON.—February 4, at her residence, Huxley, Ben Boyd-road, Neutral Bay, the wife of E. H. B. Watson—a son.

WILLIAMS.—February 7, at her residence, Tecoma, William-street, Paddington, the wife of Wallie Williams, of a son.

WILSON.—February 5, 1902, at Merriba, Suffolk-street, Paddington, the wife of Arthur Gibbs Wilson, of a daughter.

Marriages.

AIRD—MARCUS.—February 4, 1902, at the Presbyterian Church, Ebley-street, Waverley, by the Rev. J. H. Lawrie, John Thomas Aird, eldest son of James Aird, of Gatcombe Head, Gladstone, Queensland, to Mary (Minnie) Tozer, second eldest daughter of Henry Marcus, of Laidley, Mill Hill-road, Waverley, late of Queensland, and granddaughter of the late A. Marcus, of Sydney. No cards.

BELL—EVANS.—January 15, at St. Jude's, Randwick, by the Rev. Wm. Hough, Oscar Heath, eldest son of Mr. J. Bell, Forest Lodge, to Violet Helen, eldest daughter of Captain W. W. Evans, Dunkeith, Randwick.

CUNNINGHAM—CAPPER.—December 30, 1901, at St. Stephen's, Bayswater, London, by the Rev. Lionel Tyler, M.A., Robert, son of the late Benjamin Cunningham, of Hobart and Bendigo, to Rose Thackeray, daughter of the late William C. H. Capper, of Newcastle, N.S. Wales.

DIAS—LANE.—January 15, 1902, at St. Barnabas' Church, George-street West, by the Rev. W. A. Charlton, Albert Edward, youngest son of the late R. Dias, of Sydney, to Alice Maude, eldest daughter of George Lane, Sydney.

DRUCE—FILLINGHAM.—December 18, 1901, at the residence of the bride's uncle, T. T. Orton, Esq., Cluri, Livingstone-road, Petersham, by the Rev. W. G. Taylor, Joseph Henry, fourth son of Mrs. A. and the late James Druce, of Mosman, to Isabel Clarence, youngest daughter of the late Rev. John Fillingham, and granddaughter of the late Rev. Joseph Orton.

FOSKETT—MONTGOMERY.—February 5, 1902, at the Waterloo Congregational Church, by the Rev. F. Benns, Henry John, eldest son of Mr. H. J. Foskett, of Alexandria, and grandson of the late Mr. S. J. Foskett, J.P., to Jessie, youngest daughter of Mr. John Montgomery, of Waterloo.

HERMES—HENDERSON.—February 5, 1902, at St. Joseph R.C. Church, Camperdown, by the Rev. Father John Fitzpatrick, Ernest Gabriel, second son of Professor Alfred Hermes, of Annandale, to Lydia Adelaide, eldest daughter of Robert Henderson, Esq., of Missenden-road, Newtown. Australian and Home papers please copy.

MOON—PEAKE.—January 8, 1902, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. A. Holliday, B.A., Henry William, second surviving son of Robert Moser Moon, of Petersham, and grandson of the late Sir Henry Parkes, to Ethel Gertrude, eighth surviving daughter of James Peake, Selhurst, Eurella-street, Burwood.

RODGERS—TAYLOR.—January 8, 1902, at St. John's Church, Glebe Point, by Rev. S. S. Tovey, B.A., Albert William, eldest son of the late Albert Turon Rodgers, of Sydney, to Nellie, only daughter of the late Arthur Taylor, of Bath, Somerset, England, late of Brisbane.

HUMPHRIES—HARKNESS.—January 7, 1902, at Christchurch Cathedral, Grafton, by Archdeacon Moxon, Alexander Percy, second son of P. Humphries, Watson's Bay, to Maude Victoria, second daughter of E. Harkness, Grafton.

KERBY—GOODMAN.—On Wednesday, Jan. 15, 1902, by the Rev. Geo. Walters, Frank, third son of the late Alfred Kerby, of Portsmouth, England, to Clara Levy, second daughter of S. L. Goodman, of St. Elmo, Bondi-road. No cards.

LEE—MACQUIRE.—January 8, 1902, at the Congregational Church, Pitt-street, by the Rev. E. T. Dunstan, Isaac Algernon, son of Isaac Lee, Forest Lodge, to Edith, youngest daughter of A. G. Macquire, Devonshire-street.

LEWIS—TURNBULL.—December 30, 1901, at St. Andrew's Cathedral, Sydney, by the Rev. Richard Read, Samuel Moreton D'Arbyhill Lewis, second son of Clement Lewis, of Kogarah, to Adina Drusilla, youngest daughter of the late J. A. Turnbull, Kogarah.

McDERMOTT—STEEL.—January 15, 1902, at St. James' Church, Glebe Point, Charles Alfred McDermott, of Glebe Point, eldest son of the late Charles McDermott, Esq., of Dobbs and Young, to Victoria Alexandrina Steel, youngest daughter of the late Alexander Steel, Esq., of Surry Hills, and Mrs. Thomas Nicholls, of Dulwich Hill, Sydney.

McEVOY—VANDENBERGH.—December 25, 1901, at St. Mary's R.C. Church, N. Sydney, by the Rev. Father Benson, James McEvoy, youngest son of the late John McEvoy, Moore Park, Sydney, to Florence Rebecca, eldest daughter of the late C. Vandenbergh, North Sydney.

MACPHERSON—HENDERSON.—January 7, 1902, by the Rev. George Brown, Clarence Montrose, youngest son of John Macpherson, of Chesterfield, Waverley, to Sarah Dill, younger daughter of Charles Henderson, of Cambrian, Waverley.

MORRIS—FREITAG.—January 18, at St. Mary's R.C. Church, Erskineville, by Father Martin John, youngest son of William and Elizabeth Norris, of Surry Hills, late of Waverley, to Marion, only daughter of George Thomas Freitag and Margaret Elizabeth Freitag, of Hammersmith, London.

PALMER—IRWIN.—January 23, 1902, at St. John's Church, Balmain, by Rev. W. J. Cakebread, John B., only son of the late John Palmer, of Taunton, Somerset, England, to Elizabeth, fourth daughter of James J. Irwin, of St. John's Park, Canley Vale. No cards.

REID—CHALLINOR.—January 22, 1902, by the Rev. W. H. Rogers, at Canonbury, Sydney, Alfred James, youngest son of the late John Reid, of Brisbane, to Nellie, second daughter of John Challinor, Sydney.

SCOTT—BARROW.—December 14, 1901, at Dunsfold, Surrey, England, by license, Arthur McKirdy Scott, of Sydney, New South Wales, to Grace Pledge, youngest daughter of Samuel Barrow, Esq., J.P., of Dunsfold, Godalming.

SHERWOOD—BRENTNALL.—October 30, 1901, at Trinity Church, Dunedin, by the Rev. P. W. Fairclough, Harry, son of late Joseph Sherwood, to Florence Amy, daughter of A. G. Brentnall, of Lewisham.

SHORTER—MAYNE.—December 28, 1901, at St. John's Church, Parramatta, by the Venerable Archdeacon Gunther, W. T. Ashton Shorter, of Sydney, Solicitor, to Eloise Blanche Mayne, only daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Mayne.

STOCKER—HINTON.—January 15, 1902, at the residence of the bride's parents, Moreton-street, Concord, by the Rev. George Campbell, Samuel William Stocker, eldest son of Samuel Stocker, Hunter's Hill, to Florence Eva, eldest daughter of Henry Alfred Hinton, Concord.

TAYLOR—ARMSTRONG.—December 31, 1901, at Pyree, by Rev. B. Inglis, James, eldest son of Edmund Taylor, Lindfield, Balmain, to Flora Agnes (Flo), second daughter of John J. Armstrong, Pyree, Shoalhaven.

TAYLER—MARSHALL.—January 21, at the Friary, Waverley, by the Very Rev. P. B. Kennedy, Christopher, second son of W. G. Tayler, M.R.C.S., of Woollahra, and formerly of Wagga Wagga, Solicitor, to Caroline Jane, widow of the late F. Featherstone-Marshall, and daughter of John Martin, of Radford, Waverley, Solicitor.

WALKER—GOWING.—On January 22, 1902, at St. Mary's Church, Waverley, by the Rev. R. McKeown, Charles, only son of T. B. Walker, Delbrota, Waverley, to Lottie, eldest daughter of the late Preston R. Gowing, of Cranley, Waverley.

Silver Weddings

GEDDES—JESSON.—February 8, 1877, at No. 2 Marlborough-street, Surry Hills, by the Rev. J. A. Nolan, Thomas E., only son of Mr. David Geddes, engineer, of Arbroath, Scotland, to Esther A., sixth daughter of Mr. John Jesson, builder, Leamington, Warwickshire, England.

Deaths.

BRAND.—February 1, at Double Bay, after a long and painful illness, Mary Geddes, youngest daughter of the late James Brand, of Glenridding, Singleton, and beloved sister of Mrs. George Williams, Tyrell, Moree.

BROWN.—At her parents' residence, Market-street, Randwick, Jessie Alexander, the beloved infant daughter of Alfred and Lizzie Brown, aged 1 year and 10 months.

CLOUDY.—At his residence, Wyoming, Five Dock, Jacob, beloved husband of Harriett Eastcott Cloudy. Mr. Cloudy was for many years in H.M. Customs.

CRIPPS.—February 2, at Heilbron, South Africa, William Sydney, beloved son of John Fisher and Annie Cripps, in his 29th year.

CRIPPS.—February 7, at the residence of her daughter (Mrs. Jordan Sparks), Argyle-street, Parramatta, Annie, beloved wife of John Fisher Cripps, aged 65 years.

CUSHLEY.—February 6, 1902, at her late residence, 277 Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst, Anne, dearly beloved wife of Mr. John Cushley, aged 75 years. R.I.P. Resident of Tamworth over 30 years.

DUNRICH.—February 6, 1902, at Charters Towers, Queensland, Florence Edith, beloved daughter of Mrs. Ellis Dunrich, 397 Dowling-street. Deeply regretted. Melbourne papers please copy.

ELLARD.—February 4, 1902, at his residence, No. 5 Pitt-street, Redfern, William Barnes Ellard, aged 77 years.

ELTON.—January 8, at Paddington, Elizabeth, beloved wife of James M. Elton, daughter of the late Henry Stope, A.C.E., granddaughter of the late Captain John Thompson Hawkes, niece of the late Sir Robert Hawkes (Newcastle-on-Tyne, England). Inserted by her loving sisters, Phillis, Maggie, Janet, and Charlotta.

GREENHILL.—At his residence, Somerset Villa, 142 Enmore-road, Marrickville, Thomas Greenhill, aged 81 years and 6 months. Home papers please copy.

Deaths.

GROAT.—February 7, 1902, at Glenfield, the beloved wife of George A. Groat. Funeral Sunday afternoon, Liverpool.

HANNAM.—February 4, at Dubbo, Charles D. J. Hannam, of Mundooran, eldest son of John Hannam, late of Cooradigbee, Yass.

LAYTON.—February 5, at Katoomba, Ethel Helen, fifth child of Ernest and Mabel Layton, of Kiliara, aged 13 months.

LEE.—January 16, 1902, at the residence of his parents, Victoria Bridge, West Maitland, Arthur Kenneth, second and youngest son of George and Mary Anne Lee, and grandson of the late Samuel Clift, of West Maitland, and late Benjamin Lee, of Parramatta, aged 36 years.

LEE.—February 2, 1902, at the residence of his parents, Victoria Bridge, West Maitland, George Wheeler, eldest son of George and Mary Anne Lee, and grandson of the late Samuel Clift, West Maitland, and late Benjamin Lee, of Parramatta, aged 38 years.

LEFEBVRE.—February 7, at Sydney, Mrs. Annie Gaston Lefebvre, dearly beloved mother of Mrs. S. D. Townsend (Petersham), Mrs. C. Denniston (Ballarat, Vic.), R. Mills Taylor (N.Q.), John James Taylor (Brisbane), and J. A. Lefebvre (Sydney), aged 67 years.

MURPHY.—February 4, at his residence, Balfour-street, Carlton, Michael, beloved husband of Mary A. Murphy, late W.O. Public Schools Cadet Force, aged 65 years and 9 months. R.I.P. Interred at Sutherland Cemetery.

NANCE.—February 6, at her grandfather's residence, St. Just, West-street, Petersham, Amy Grace, the beloved daughter of John R. and Elizabeth J. Nance, of Kempsey, Macleay River, aged 22 years.

POOLE.—February 7, at his residence, Hampden, Redfern, W. T. Poole, aged 73 years. By request no flowers.

ROTHWELL.—February 4, 1902, at her residence, The Retreat, Perkin-street, Newcastle, Hannah Sarah, the dearly beloved wife of John Rothwell, aged 68 years.

SIMPSON.—February 7, 1902, at Moore Abbey Villa, Victoria-street, Waverley, Sylvia Rebecca, the loved infant daughter of Stephen John and Ada Florence Simpson, aged 11 months.

TEE.—November 23, at Eastleigh, Hants, England, suddenly, of fatty degeneration of the heart, George Tee, aged 58 years, late of 68 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern. Friends please accept this intimation.

THOMPSON.—December 29, 1901, at 236 Gloucester-terrace, Hyde Park, London, the residence of her daughter (Mrs. Astley Cock), Emma, widow of the late John Thompson, of 28 Lincoln's Inn Fields, in the 83rd year of her age. Mother of Dr. J. Ashburton Thompson and Gerald Marr Thompson, of this city.

TRICKETT.—February 6, 1902, George, the dearly beloved husband of Clemence Fay Trickett, of 153 Beattie-street, Balmain, aged 54 years.

In Memoriam.

ANDRIENI.—In loving remembrance of my dear wife, Johanna Andrieni, who passed away on February 9th, 1899. May her soul rest in peace. Inserted by her loving husband, Joseph Andrieni.

BOYSEN.—In loving memory of my dear son, Peter Henry Boysen, who departed this life February 8th, 1900. Inserted by his sorrowful mother.

FARMER.—In sad but loving memory of our dearly loved niece, Maude, who departed this life on February 2nd, 1901, age 27 years and 6 months. Not lost, but gone before. Inserted by her loving uncle and aunt, Thomas and F. Weymark.

HUMPHRIES.—In loving memory of our Jessie.
He hath put a new song in my mouth.
8th February, 1901. J. V. D. and W. H. B.

HUSBAND.—In loving memory of our darling daughter, Ilma, who died at the Children's Hospital, Glebe, on the 8th February, 1901, aged 6 years and 2 months. Inserted by her sorrowing Mother and father. My bud in heaven.

M'SWEENEY.—In loving remembrance of our dear father, Martin J. M'Sweeney, who departed this life February 7th, 1900, aged 90 years. Inserted by his loving sons and daughter-in-law, John, George, Charles, and Ada. "Though lost to sight, to memory dear."

MOORE.—In loving remembrance of my dear husband, James Stephen Moore, died February 9th, 1895. Gone, but not forgotten. Eliza Moore.

PARKES.—In memory of our beloved brother, Frederick Parkes, who departed this life on the 8th February, 1900. Inserted by his loving sister and brother-in-law, E. and W. Peters.

ROBERTS.—In loving remembrance of our dear father, who departed this life February 7th, 1893. Inserted by his loving sons, Arthur, Charles, William, Walter, and Edward Roberts.

ROWLING.—In loving remembrance of our beloved children, John David Williamson and Rosamond Janet Rowling, who were gathered home on the 18th and 20th December, 1901, respectively. Inserted by their loving parents, William Henry and Sarah Jane Rowling. "Suffer little children to come unto Me."

STAPLETON.—In sad and loving memory of our dear son and brother Edward, who died February 9, 1901, aged 21 years. Inserted by his loving father, mother, brothers, and sisters.
The silent moon is shining
Upon his lonely grave,
Where sleeps without dreaming
The one we could not save.

STAPLETON.—In loving memory of my beloved brother, Edward Cornelius Stapleton, died at his parents' residence, 50 Smith-street, Balmain, 9th February, 1901, in his 21st year.
All is sad within our home,
Lonely are our hearts to-day,
For one we loved so dearly
Has for ever passed away.
Inserted by his sorrowing sister, brother-in-law, nephew, and niece, Mary, Francis, and Eugene, and Lillie Cole.

Return Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. GLOVER and FAMILY desire to convey their heartfelt THANKS to kind friends for expressions of sympathy and floral tributes in their sad bereavement.

The FAMILY of the late Mr. DENNIS HEAVEY, 25 Bourke-lane, Woolloomooloo, desire to express their sincere THANKS to their many kind friends and neighbours for their sympathy, letters, and floral tributes, especially to Dr. Crago and Father Fitzpatrick, and Miss Morrison, of 23A Liverpool-street, shown to them in the sad death of their dear father.

Mrs. ADA BARNES STEVENSON, of Ladywood, Florence-street, Strathfield, desires to acknowledge with heartfelt THANKS the kind assistance and sympathy from neighbours and friends, also floral tributes, cards, telegrams, &c., in her very sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. MARTIN DOYLE and FAMILY wish to return their sincere THANKS to the many friends for kindness and sympathy shown in their recent bereavement.

Mr. STEPHEN CONLON desires to express his sincere THANKS to his many kind friends for floral tributes and messages of sympathy shown towards him in the sad death of his dearly beloved wife, Catherine Conlon.

Mrs. L. A. CHIN and FAMILY desire to convey their heartfelt THANKS to their many kind friends for floral tributes and messages of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. ISRAEL and FAMILY, of 2 Cooper-street, Surry Hills, desire to convey their heartfelt THANKS to their many friends for letters, cards, floral tributes, and messages of sympathy in their late sad bereavement.

Mr. THOMAS SHEEHY and Mr. EDWARD SHEEHY desire to convey their heartfelt THANKS to their many kind friends and neighbours for their floral tributes and sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM KELLY (of 113 Constitution-road, Petersham) and FAMILY desire to express their sincere THANKS to their many kind friends for sympathy and floral tributes, letters, and telegrams, also kind attention of Dr. Bucknall, towards their beloved daughter, Teresa May Kelly.

The SISTERS of the late Mrs. JAMES M. ELTON desire to Return THANKS to the many kind friends who sent letters, telegrams, floral tributes, &c., expressing sympathy with them in their recent sad loss. Also to Canon Pain, for his kind attention; and especially to Nurse Martin, for her untiring patience, gentleness, and kindness to her in her last illness.

Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD QUINN and FAMILY, of 27 Chau ...-street, Ashfield, desire to acknowledge with heartfelt THANKS the many kind expressions of sympathy, both by letter and telegram, also the many floral tributes, cards, &c., in their late very sad bereavement.

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*AUSTRAL	5524	C. Nicholson	Feb. 12	Feb. 18	Feb. 20
*OPHIR	6910	F. W. Kershaw	Feb. 26	Mar. 4	Mar. 6
*OMRAH	8291	J. F. Ruthven	Mar. 12	Mar. 18	Mar. 20
*ORTONA	7945	E. E. Lavington	Mar. 26	April 1	April 3
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S.S. MARAROA, WEDNESDAY, March 5, at 4 p.m.
For WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, DUNEDIN, and BLUFF, HOBART, and MELBOURNE, transhipping to outports:—
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S.S. MONOWAI, SATURDAY, February 22, at 1 p.m.
TASMANIA.
For HOBART DIRECT—
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BURRUMBEET, WEDNESDAY, February 26, 4 p.m.
For WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, DUNEDIN, and BLUFF, HOBART, and MELBOURNE (transhipping to outports):—
WESTRALIA,
SATURDAY, February 15, noon
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BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, BUNDABERG, ROCKHAMPTON	Leura, This Day, Saturday, 2 p.m.; Burwah, Tuesday, Feb. 11, 5 p.m.; Tyrian, Saturday, Feb. 15, 12 noon
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Niwaru	7000	W. P. Fishwick	"
Indraghiri	4927	G. W. Harwood	"
Star of England	3886	F. W. Ulyatt	"
Star of New Zealand	4712	J. M. Hart	"
Hawkes Bay	4583	F. C. Lidstone	"
Muritai	6225	J. C. Felgate	"
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MACLEAY RIVER.—Burrawong, To-night at 11.
MANNING RIVER.—Electra, Wednesday, 5 p.m.
PORT MACQUARIE.—Rosedale, Tuesday next.
BELLINGER RIVER.—Euroka, Monday, 7 p.m.
NAMBUCCA RIVER.—Rosedale, Tuesday next.
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Moruya, via Bateman's Bay.—S.S. Bega, Friday, 10 a.m. Passengers only.
Bermagui, Tathra, Merimbula, and Eden.—S.S. Bega, Monday, noon; S.S. Eden, Wednesday, noon.
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Government Railways.

SPECIAL PASSENGER TRAIN.

TO-DAY, SATURDAY.

SPECIAL TRAIN will leave Sydney at 9.10 a.m. TO-DAY for Hawkesbury River, calling at Strathfield, Hornsby, and stations beyond, reaching Hawkesbury at 10.45 a.m.

Passengers will not be conveyed by the 9.5 a.m. train for stations Hornsby to Hawkesbury River inclusive, but must travel by the 9.10 a.m. special.

EXCURSION TRIP TO HAWKESBURY IN CONNECTION WITH THE STEAMER GENERAL GORDON.

TO-DAY, SATURDAY.

Trains will leave Sydney at 9.10 a.m., and Milson's Point at 8.50 a.m. The river trip will occupy five hours. Seventy miles by rail and 36 by steamer.

RETURN FARES, including Steamer Trip: First-class 5s 6d; second-class, 3s 6d.

Refreshments can be obtained on board the Steamer at reasonable rates.

EXCURSION TO PARKESVALE.

TO-DAY, SATURDAY.

THROUGH RETURN TICKETS TO PARKESVALE (train to Como, thence per steamer to Parkesvale) will be issued by train leaving Sydney at 2.10 p.m., available for return by train leaving Como at 6.32 p.m.

RETURN FARES.—First-class, 2s 3d; Second-class, 1s 6d.

Refreshments can be obtained on the ground.

CHEAP EXCURSION TO THE MOUNTAINS.

TO-DAY, SATURDAY.

CHEAP EXCURSION TICKETS at 2d per mile First-class and 1d per mile Second-class Return will be issued at Sydney and all Metropolitan and Suburban Stations to Stations Emu Plains to Eskbank inclusive, by train leaving Sydney at 11.25 p.m. TO-DAY (Saturday), available for return for one calendar month from date of issue.

CANTERBURY PARK RACES.

TO-DAY (SATURDAY).

SPECIAL TRAINS for FIRST-CLASS and SECOND-CLASS PASSENGERS will leave Sydney for Canterbury at 12.38, 12.53, 1.3, 1.8, and 1.18 p.m.; and for Horses at 12.20 p.m.

RETURN FARES: First-class, 11d; Second-class, 8d.

ROUND TRIPS BETWEEN SYDNEY AND WINDSOR.

70 MILES BY RAIL—73 MILES BY STEAMER.

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, 11th and 12th February.

On TUESDAY, 11th February, Train will leave Sydney at 9.5 a.m., and Milson's Point at 8.50 a.m. On arrival at Hawkesbury the steamer GENERAL GORDON will take passengers up the river to Windsor, there connecting with the 7.27 p.m. train, due Sydney at 9.5 p.m.

On WEDNESDAY, 12th February, train will leave Sydney at 9.25 a.m. for Windsor, and the Steamer will proceed down the River to Hawkesbury, Passengers taking the 6.35 p.m. train, due Sydney at 8.5 p.m.

CHEAP RETURN FARES from Sydney and Suburban Stations (including Steamer Trip): First-class, 10s 6d; Second-class, 8s 6d. Available for return on day of issue or within one week.

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SPECIAL CHEAP EXCURSIONS TO SYDNEY.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, 13th and 14th FEBRUARY.

CHEAP EXCURSION TICKETS, at 2d per mile First-class return and 1d per mile Second-class return will be issued to Sydney only by the undermentioned trains, available for return by any train (except the Melbourne Express) within one calendar month:—

WESTERN LINE.

Stations.	Times. A.	Times. B.	Return Fares. 1st Cl.	Return Fares. 2nd Cl.
	Thurs., Feb. 13, P.M.	Friday, Feb. 14, A.M.	s d	s d
Orange ... dep.	10.10 Friday, Feb. 14, A.M.	...	32 0	16 0
Bathurst	12.2?		24 2	12 1
Lithgow	2.49		16 0	8 0
Mount Victoria		6.15	12 10	6 5
Blackheath		6.27	12 2	6 1
Katoomba		6.43	11 0	5 6
Springwood		7.2?	8 0	4 0
Sydney ... arr.	7.44	8.55		

A.—From stations Orange to Hartley Vale, inclusive, on THURSDAY, 13th February.
B.—From stations Mount Victoria to Penrith inclusive, on FRIDAY, 14th February.

SOUTHERN LINE.
FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY.

Stations.	Times.	Return Fares. 1st Cl.	Return Fares. 2nd Cl.
	a.m.	s d	s d
Goulburn ... dep.	5.0	22 4	11 2
Moss Vale	6.50	14 4	7 2
Mittagong	7.10	12 10	6 5
Picton	8.4	8 10	4 5
Sydney ... arr.	9.34		

From stations Goulburn to Campbelltown inclusive.

SOUTH COAST LINE.
FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY.

Stations.	Times. C.	Times. D.	Return Fares. 1st Class.	Return Fares. 2nd Class.
	a.m.	a.m.	s d	s d
Nowra ... dep.	6.55	...	15 4	7 8
Kiama		7.0	11 10	5 11
Wollongong		8.5	8 0	4 0
Sydney ... arr.	11.28	10.19		

C. From stations Nowra to Omega, inclusive.
D. From stations Kiama to Waterfall, inclusive.

NORTHERN LINE.

Stations.	Times.	Return Fares. 1st Class.	Return Fares. 2nd Class.
	a.m.	s d	s d
West Maitland...dep.	4.50	19 8	9 10
Newcastle	6.0	17 0	8 6
Cockle Creek	6.23	15 4	7 8
Gosford	7.55	8 4	4 2
Sydney ... arr.	9.45		

From stations West Maitland to Hawkesbury River.
Fares from intermediate stations at proportionately low rates.
Handbills giving further particulars can be obtained from stationmasters.
By order of the Commissioners,
H. McLACHLAN, Secretary.

GOVERNMENT TRAMWAYS.

LONG BAY LINE.
COMMENCING SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9.
A HALF-HOURLY SERVICE will be run between Bent-street and Coast Hospital from 9 a.m. on Sundays.

WILLOUGHBY LINE.
COMMENCING MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10.
A HALF-HOURLY SERVICE will be run on week days between Milson's Point and Willoughby.
By order of the Commissioners,
H. McLACHLAN, Secretary.

NOWRA.—SCHILLING and FORAN'S COACHES LEAVE NOWRA DAILY.
For Tomorong, Milton, and Ulladulla, 2 p.m. and 11 p.m. For Cambewarra, Kangaroo Valley, Moss Vale, 2 p.m.
M'Ternan's Coaches meet all trains to and from Nowra Railway Stn. Special coaches, buggies, and saddle horses on shortest notice.
M'Ternan's coaches meet all trains and run in connection with ours. S. and F.

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STEAMER meets trains 9.45 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. from Sydney. Return 6.15 p.m.

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IDA ROSLYN. AMY BLACKIE.
Mr. JOHN FULLER will sing "When a Little While has Flown," beautifully illustrated.
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IMPORTANT.
THE CURTAIN will rise at 7.45 PRECISELY before which time the audience are requested to be in their seats, as the music composed for the prelude will take the place of the conventional overture, and the auditorium will be darkened.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8th, 1902,
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CURTAIN SYMBOLIC OF ROME AND JERUSALEM.
THE DESERT.
MEETING OF THE THREE WISE MEN.

ACT 1.
SCENE—HOUSETOP OF THE PALACE OF HUR, JERUSALEM.
THE POWER OF ROME.

ACT 2.
SCENE 1—INTERIOR OF CABIN OF THE ROMAN GALLEY ASTRÆA.
THE GALLEY SLAVE.
SCENE 2—THE OPEN SEA. THE RESCUE.

ACT 3.
SCENE 1—APARTMENT IN THE HOUSE OF SIMONIDES IN ANTIOCH.
THE WISE SERVANT AND HIS DAUGHTER.
SCENE 2.—THE GROVE OF DAPHNE. TEMPLE OF APOLLO.
THE MASQUE OF EROS.
SCENE 3—THE FOUNTAIN OF CASTALIA.
THE REVELS OF DAPHNE. IN THE SPIDER'S WEB.

ACT 4.
SCENE 1.—THE DOWAR IN THE ORCHARD OF PALMS.
PREPARING FOR THE RACE.
SCENE 2—BY THE LAKE. THE ARTS OF CLEOPATRA.

ACT 5.
SCENE 1—EXTERIOR AND GREAT GATEWAY OF CIRCUS ANTIOCH.
MAKING THE WAGERS.
SCENE 2—THE ARENA. THE RACE.

ACT 6.
SCENE 1—APARTMENT IN THE PALACE OF HUR, JERUSALEM.
TIDINGS OF THE LOST ONES.
SCENE 2—THE VALE OF HINNON. THE VISION
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CHAPTER XVII.—Continued.

"Prince of Conde! That is him we call the Duc d'Enghien?" She nodded. "Ay," I said. "They found letters from General Dumourrier, with plans of the Rhine, I remember, and some said there were letters from Lord Nelson. As to that, Lord Nelson himself told me he has never had a letter from the Duc d'Enghien, nor written to him in his life."

"Anyway, they took him—the Duke—at Baden, haled him to Vincennes, gave him a form of trial, and shot him as the dawn was breaking. Eh, it was the deed of a night, that; but no blacker than the murder of Hortense d'Estourville's husband."

"What was the way of that?" I asked.

"Eh, the devil was old and wicked that put it into the heads of them to take him the way they did. It was about this same Duc d'Enghien's plot, or pretended plot (they say he planned to assassinate the Corsican), and this young d'Estourville, they waited till he married—that was the villainy of the devils that accused him—the very day of the marriage, the hour of the marriage, just back from the Mairie, and bride and bridegroom about to start for the lune de miel when the gendarmes came. He was hurried off, and the same day executed. So that is the tale of Hortense d'Estourville's wedded life, poor thing! —not a long one—wedded and widowed within an hour, wife and maid in one."

"They are piling up the count, the Corsican and his friends," I said, "and may I have a hand in the reckoning! But why—what was the object of his devilish cruelty—to await such a moment to take the man?"

The old lady shrugged her shoulders with one of the French gestures that went so quaintly with her Scottish speech.

"I do not know. There were the estates. The lands of the d'Estourvilles are broad. It is a marvel they did not take him and execute him unwed—it would have made the less complication about the estates of a traitor, as they say, reverting to the nation. But there was something; Hortense knows more of it than she cares to say. They had their own reasons, even as the devil, that is their master, has his."

I seemed to be arriving at it now—the cause of those sad lines that made the fair young face so Sphinx-like. Those times, in France, were rich in sad experience, but surely no experience ever was much more sad than that of the beautiful Comtesse d'Estourville!

"Poor thing! poor thing!" I said. "Did she love him, do you think?"

"Love him?—whom? This husband of an hour—that never was a husband? Why, love! No. There could not be love between them. They had scarce seen each other. We do not woo and wed in France as in my own bonnie Scotland. In France we wed and woo—that is the order of affairs—and sometimes it is our own wife that we woo, but more often it is our neighbour's. No, no, there was no love lost. There was only the shock and the tragedy of it that was sad for her. The marriage bells will often ring up the curtain on a tragedy, it is not to be said they don't; but it is hard when it begins so soon and in such a manner."

I felt my sorrow for the young bridegroom grow marvellously more sincere as a consequence of her words, till she added:

"Of course you will understand that losing him like this was enough to make any woman believe herself in love with him. It was that way with Hortense."

And then I felt less sure of my sincerity, but said no more than "Oh!"

"And she is in love, young man, in love with his memory now—she says she lives only to avenge him—is romantic, as all young women should be; and so she will remain until——"

"Until what?" I asked, as the old lady paused pointedly.

"Until a living and a real love comes to take the place of this sentimental dead one—of this ghost that never was alive. But there, young man, I talk to you in a book that is closed to you, that you cannot read—in the first place because you are a man, and in the second because you are a young man. To read it you have to be a woman, and you have to be an old one—there," and she shut her painted fan with a vicious clasp, as if to close the chapter.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Each morning since I had made of her my Mercury I walked to Marine-parade for a chat with Phœbe Hessel, sitting ever at the receipt of custom for her small wares.

"He's had your message, and he'll see 't done," she told me the morning following its delivery; "and another he sent in return—that him that was your boatswain bides with them there in his company, and if your honour would speak to him—that is, to the skipper—your honour shall see him if you go to White Hawk Fair."

So this was news. The "arrant failure," mistrusting, no doubt, his reception by me and all others set in authority over him, had thrown in his lot with the lawbreakers to their trade. I regretted it less for the arrant failure himself than for the sake of his unfortunate wife, Mrs. Elphick, who had shown such an affectionate anxiety for his welfare when I was at home at Buckhurst.

White Hawk Fair was a business of much more repute in those days than it has become now, when it is merely a rendezvous for a few gipsy caravans and strolling shows. It was then a rowdy affair enough as prize-fighting, pocket-picking, and cock-fighting could make it, but it was patronised by all the fashionables from Brighton, led by Royalty itself. It was held on the Sunday between the racedays, on that corner of the Race Down called White Hawk Down, where a figure in likeness of a hawk is cut out in the white chalk of the Downs to commemorate a legend that has nothing in the world to do with this history. There is still to be seen there a circular embankment that local wiseacres will tell you is the remains of a Roman fortification, but which the better informed attribute to the Britons or Celts, who more probably raised it as a defence against the Roman invaders.

The road from Brighton to the Downs in the course of those race days was become a perfect Piccadilly with carriages, chariots, coaches, phaetons, and all the available resources of Brighton at that time, including Phœbe Hessel in a cart with her donkey, going to the races on the Friday, and the Saturday, Monday, and the Tuesday, and on the Sunday intervening to this White Hawk Fair, of which I speak. I found my way thither after an early dinner, for it was then by no means so much the custom as it has lately become to take the heavy meal late in the day. The fair was at its busiest when I reached it, with shows, booths, charlatans, wonders, two-headed calves, a bearded woman and the rest of the outfit, and what, perhaps, caused the greatest stir and wonderment of all, a troupe of songsters and musicians, with banjo and bones, and faces blacked, singing the songs that the niggers sing so well, as those who have been there tell us, in Virginia and the Carolinas:—

> 'Way down upon de ole plantation,
> Far, far from home,
> 'Way down upon de ole plantation,
> Far from de ole folks at home.

Something like that, and always something of the same savour, with a touch of pathos about it, the songs seemed to be, to the accompaniment of a rattle of the bones and a clash on the tambour and a tinkle of the banjo. They had a few hymns, too, that they sang; and these black-faced fellows, with gaudy striped shirts and pantaloons, were really the great show of the fair this year. It is a style of performance that I hear has become much better known since, but at that time I had never seen anything of the kind, neither, I think, had any of the company; and I have some idea that it was the first of its kind ever given in England. The leader of the singers was a big fellow with an immense round face and a splendid chest voice. When a song was done the tambourine fellow went round with his tambour and took the coins. They made quite a good business of it, as I guessed.

I went up and down through the fair, but look as I might could find no sign of the Skipper of Darby's Cave. Yet I deemed him a man of his word, and doubted not that I should see him before the day was done. In course of the afternoon came his Royal Highness with his special little corps of ames damnées, my Lord Barrymore and the rest of them. They were mightily taken with the melodies of the black fellows, who had attracted a great concourse by this time, the country folks verily believing, as certainly the children did, that these were true descendants of Ham, black by nature rather than by a burnt cork. The ladies that came with the Prince—Mrs. Fitzherbert, Miss Seymour, Lady Jersey, and one or two more—were mightily amused by the blacks, and among the pieces that the tambourine-player took back with him from his round were several of gold. When the Royal party went away from their music a good number of the audience moved with them, his Royal Highness always attracting the greatest attention of the people, whatever he did in Brighton. I was standing idly wondering where next to go, when a voice said gently in my ear, "De friend ob Nelson!" I turned to find, with much surprise, that the speaker was the immense leader of the negro troupe, who had left his choir of blackbirds for the moment. And before I recovered my surprise sufficiently to ask the fellow what he meant a light of comprehension dawned in me as I gazed in his face and saw who it was under the burnt cork—him, and no other, of whom I was in search, the skipper of Darby's Cave. Had I been of quicker wit I might have guessed him before. Such a masquerading and play-acting was quite in accord with his character, as I learned by my previous knowledge of him when he had figured at our first meeting as the Parson of the Belle Tout Cave.

"Hush!" he said, before I could speak, seeing with his natural quickness that I had pierced his mask. "I knew no way of coming without a disguise, so I beat my musical fellows to quarters once or twice, practised them up with some songs of the niggers that I had in an old book of Virginny, and by King George's Majesty, I think 'tis a better course to steer than the running of a cargo, for 'tis a deal less trouble and not a deal more risk."

"Risk?—what risk?" I said.

"Risk of broken neck—that's what I always risk in coming ashore. But I've a few mates here to help me out," he said, nodding to his musicians, "if trouble should come—that is so long as they keep sober. And, by the token, what shall be done with the wretch Elphick? I keep him—he's a good seaman—so long as he cares to keep with us; but if you want him, why, he's no great use, and he can just go with a flea in his ear. It's as you please to say."

"Better send the fellow home," I said. "I've little use for him, but it seems his wife has some. She was fretting for him more than you'd think possible when I was at home."

"Then send him I will," said he, "and you can deal as you please with him once you get him there; and as for your other message, about the Frenchman, that's been done, too. And that's a quaint fellow, our Frenchman. Have you found out who he is at all, or what's his business? He's a merry fellow."

"A merry fellow, is he? No, I have discovered little about him."

"Ay, that he is. I had to bestow him into safe keeping down the Kentish border way, and there he has kept the whole ship's company on the grin all the while of his 'prisonment. And seemed to have money to spend in his pocket, too, and not mind the spending of it."

"Did he, indeed?" I said; "that is not like a French emigre."

"Mate," he replied with emphasis, "you have said the word. It is the word I have said to myself this many a time. *It's not like a French emigre.* Besides, what would an emigre want robbing you of your despatches? What is this fellow? That is what I want to know."

"And it is what I want to know, too," I said with some little bitterness.

"Man," said he then, "I had a mind to keep him quiet there, for all my promise to you; and more than half a mind to keep him close, and not let him go, till I could get a word again with you. And that I do believe I would have done, only for this: that I have my doubts whether I could have kept him close much longer, for what with his merry ways and his open hand, that was nothing less than sheer bribery and corruption, there were one or two I would not have trusted long that they would not give him the chance to slip off. You see," he added, in quaint apology that they would not obey his authority in lawlessness, "there's a little of all sorts in our ship's company, and not a few Frenchies among the rest that do not care whether Orleanist, or Corsican, or any other devil, take the helm in France so long as their own pockets be lined. I hope we may never regret it that you did not let me have my way with the fellow when we came up with him on Wych Cross Hill."

(To be continued.)

PARRAMATTA DISTRICT.

A TRAM FOR ROOKWOOD.

At the last meeting of the Rookwood Council Alderman Dundon referred to the fact that the Minister for Works had been granting the boon of tram communication to different localities, and he advocated agitating for a tram from Rookwood to Bankstown. He moved that a letter be written to Mr. John Nobbs, M.L.A., on the subject. Seeing that the abattoirs were to be established at Homebush, it was necessary, he said, to afford facilities for reaching them from all parts. It was also worth while, he thought, to agitate for the abattoirs to be connected by rail with Rookwood as well as Homebush, for, in the event of their hopes being realised, the working population would naturally come to reside in the Rookwood district, and not in the more fashionable suburbs of Strathfield, &c. The resolution was carried.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

The following officers were installed at the last meeting of the Linwood Lodge of Good Templars:—Chief Templar, Bro. J. Davis; P.C.T., Bro. L. M'Credie; V.T., Sister George; Chaplain, Sister M'Credie; Marshal, Bro. Virtue; D.M., Bro. R. M'Credie; Secretary, Bro. W. Howes; Assistant Secretary, Bro. J. Anderson; F.S., Sister E. M'Credie; Treasurer, Sister G. George; Sent., Bro. T. Usher; Guard, Bro. G. Stuart; Organist, Sister F. Anderson.

L.O.L. CELEBRATIONS.

The second anniversary of the Hope of Auburn No. 248, L.O.L., was celebrated on Thursday evening in the Town Hall, when a social was held. There was a good attendance, and metropolitan and suburban lodges were represented. Addresses were delivered, and it was reported that the lodge had grown numerically stronger during the past year. Songs and recitations were rendered during the evening.

MAYORAL ELECTION.

As all the vacancies in the Prospect and Sherwood Council were filled without opposition this year, the first meeting of the council was held earlier than usual, and on Thursday evening the council met to elect the Mayor. Alderman H. T. Jones was unanimously re-elected to the position.

THE BAULKHAM HILLS TRAM.

The people of Parramatta and the district are anxious to see the tram running from the town to the Hills district, and, with a view to facilitating the matter, the council of the Castle Hill Agricultural Society has forwarded a request to the Minister for Works that he will open the annual show next month, and that he will travel by the Parramatta-Baulkham Hills tram.

BENEFIT CONCERT.

On Thursday evening a benefit concert was tendered to Mr. James White in the Parramatta Town Hall, when there was a large audience. An excellent programme was rendered. It is expected that a sum of about £25 will be realised.

GARDEN FETE.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. A. H. Champion opened a garden fete at The Cedars, Parramatta, in the presence of a fashionable assembly. The fete was in aid of the fund for the removal of the organ of St. John's Church from the organ loft to a more convenient place in the church. The various stalls were presided over as follows:—Work stall: Mesdames Edwin Brown, Hill, and Neale. Sweets: Misses J. Waugh, Bedford, Buckley, Beames, and S. Cocks. Fish pond: Misses R. Davies, M. Davies, A. Brown, and W. Skerrit. Produce stall: Mesdames Cooper, Barry, Love, and Todhunter. Doll stall: The pupils of The Cedars.

GOVERNMENT GRANT FOR RYDALMERE.

At the last meeting of the Ermington and Rydalmere Council a letter was received from Mr. Frank Farnell, M.L.A., stating that the sum of £150 had been granted for the approaches to the Ermington Wharf. The letter also stated that the Minister had promised that the money for a park would be placed on the next Estimates.

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CURRENT LITERATURE.

STUDIES IN HISTORY AND JURISPRUDENCE.

We have received from the Delegates of the Press "Studies in History and Jurisprudence," by James Bryce (Oxford, at the Clarendon Press), and it is not too much to say that these two portly tomes form fitting companions to the great works with which Mr. Bryce has enriched the world. They contain a collection of sixteen essays on subjects which do not always seem to have much in common with each other, but underlying most of them there is one theme, diversely treated; a comparison between the history and law of the Roman Empire and the history and law of the British Empire. Thus, in the first essay: "The Roman Empire and the British Empire in India," Mr. Bryce shows us wherein the work and the difficulties of government agreed, and wherein they differed. In the last we have the direct antagonisms and points of agreement as regards "Marriage and Divorce in Roman and in English Law." As it happens, we have mentioned here two subjects widely different in nature, but of great interest to all members of the British Empire. Mr. Bryce is, indeed, one of those who believe that the loss of India would not injuriously affect the prestige and power of Great Britain, but he is also quick to acknowledge that the British rule there is of great benefit to the people of India. However we may differ from the first proposition, there can be no doubt about the second; and, this being so, the value of thoroughly knowing the difficulties which stand in the way of governing the great dependency will be acknowledged in the interests of humanity, if not in the interests of the British Empire. And the other subject mentioned, Marriage and Divorce, has always commanded the attention of thoughtful persons, whether from a religious or from a social point of view. At the present moment indeed the Senate of our Commonwealth has a bill before it which has already provoked much discussion, and will provoke more. Generally, as to the treatment of the subjects chosen by Mr. Bryce, it is well to quote his own words. "My aim throughout the book," he says, "has been to bring out the importance sometimes overlooked, of the constitutional and legal element in history, and to present topics which, because somewhat technical, often repel people by their apparent dryness, in a way which shall make them at least intelligible to a reader who does not add to a fair general knowledge of history any special knowledge of law. Technicalities cannot wholly be avoided; but I hoped to have indulged in none that were not absolutely necessary." This aim has been attained with signal success. We do not claim that the book is one which will be taken up for the whiling away of a spare half-hour; but the serious reader, who has the qualification named, and who wants to add to his general knowledge of history, will find his account in Mr. Bryce's fascinating pages.

Australian readers will naturally select, as the first object of interest in the book, the essay on "The Constitution of the Commonwealth of Australia." It may be said at once that Mr. Bryce has nothing but the heartiest admiration for the instrument of federation itself. "Technically regarded, the Constitution is an excellent piece of work. Its arrangement is logical. Its language is for the most part clear and precise. The occasional, and perhaps regrettable, vagueness of some expressions appears due, not to any carelessness of the draftsmen, but to the nature of the subject matter." Amongst the advantages which Mr. Bryce sees in the federation of Australia are the establishment of inter-state freetrade, of a common system of defence, of common regulation of railways and control of rivers, of legislation against the introduction of undesirable immigrants, and the establishment of a Federal High Court. In Australia more than anywhere else in the world Nature prescribed union. There were either ethnological or religious or lingual obstacles, or all three, in the case of the United States of America, of Canada, and of Switzerland. Here these do not exist. In his masterly fashion Mr. Bryce dissects the Constitution, but we do not know that he makes any important criticism on points which have escaped the notice of Australian statesmen and publicists during the long years when federation was in the air. He expresses approbation of the ingenious methods devised for the prevention or removal of deadlocks between the two Chambers, but he is curious to see how a Government will act if its policy is approved by one House and censured by the other. The right of Imperial veto, about which we have heard something lately, is not regarded by him as bearing at all hardly upon the independence of the Commonwealth. The Constitution, he says, "represents the high-water mark of popular government. It is penetrated by the spirit of democracy." And in another place: "The Australian instrument is the true child of its era, the latest birth of Time. Compared with it the American Constitution seems old-fashioned, and parts of the Swiss Constitution positively archaic." Mr. Bryce's study will be read with deep satisfaction, even by those in whom the unfederal character of the Kingston tariff has for the moment inspired doubt as to whether the price paid for union was not too high. They, however, form but a small proportion of the people, and when the temporary feeling of irritation has passed away Australians will be proud of their Constitution, as, in the opinion of this great authority, they are fully justified in being.

It goes without saying that the other essays in the volumes before us are marked throughout with depth of knowledge and accuracy of statement. The main line to which we have already referred runs through them all, giving homogeneity to the treatment of a diversity of topics. We may not agree, and most of us do not agree, with the opinion held by Mr. Bryce about the war into which Mr. Kruger's arrogance forced Great Britain, but that does not prevent us following with the deepest interest the admirable review of South African constitutions, soon, we may trust, to be replaced by more liberal provisions for the safeguarding of the public weal and the private liberty of thought and speech. Mr. Bryce's admiration for the "simple farmers"—who, by the way, have been more than a match for diplomatists of the stamp of Lord Rosmead (our Sir Hercules Robinson) and Lord Loch—makes him go so far as to say that the war is "unredeemed by any prospect of benefit to any of the combatants." His attitude in the matter is only another proof of the fact that a great historian is not necessarily therefore a wise and far-seeing politician. The writer of history is a bad hand, generally speaking, at the making of history, and Mr. Bryce is no exception to the rule. Readers will turn with pleasure from his melancholy observations on the present to his cogent comments on the past, and, with this rich field before them, they may well excuse political eccentricities. From a consideration of "The Extension of Roman and English law throughout the world," Mr. Bryce turns to the study of "Flexible and Rigid Constitutions," of "Centripetal and Centrifugal Forces" in connection with political constitutions, of "Primitive Iceland," and the United States Constitution to the consideration of "The Law of Nature," "The Relations of Law and Religion," and "Methods of Law-making in Rome and in England." The two volumes are a storehouse of constitutional lore, which add largely to the general knowledge of the principles which underlie the government of States.

THE TOUR OF THE OPHIR.

Mr. William Maxwell, whose letters to the "Herald" describing the various events of the tour made last year by the Duke and the Duchess of Cornwall and York were read with absorbing interest, has published an account of this memorable journey in "With the 'Ophir' round the Empire; an account of the tour of the Prince and Princess of Wales, 1901" (Cassell and Co.) The book as published contains much and interesting matter which was not included in the letters; but it happily retains its character as the immediate record of the numerous impressions and incidents of this eventful journey. No such journey was ever undertaken before. Its main object was to give a special proof of the interest taken by the Sovereign of the British Empire in all that concerns the welfare of Australia. At the same time it was to be an evidence of the royal sense of "the loyalty and devotion which prompted the spontaneous aid so liberally offered by the colonies in the South African war." The mission had another particular aim—the honouring of the installation of the Commonwealth Parliament. Coupled with this was the general desire to show all the British colonies that the mother country appreciated their efforts to preserve the independence of British subjects. The tour of the Duke and the Duchess of Cornwall and York was an amplification of Lord Palmerston's "Civis Britannicus" doctrine, and it is perhaps in this connection that it will be most highly appreciated by historians of the future. In another sense, the mission of the Duke and the Duchess deserves the notice of the student of history. This mission was approved by Queen Victoria amongst the last acts of her glorious reign, and when the great Queen died, it was feared by us in Australia that the assent given by the grandmother, with two sons at hand, would be cancelled by the father, who would be deprived in consequence of it of the support of his only son. But the King rose above personal considerations. Rather, he found an added claim to the royal visit in the sympathy with the Royal family, which was felt all through the Empire when the news came that Queen Victoria was dead. The voyage, therefore, was undertaken, and it is its history which Mr. William Maxwell, a privileged spectator, gives the world in the book before us.

But, even apart from the high political importance of the tour of the Heir Apparent to the British Throne, this book of Mr. Maxwell's will well repay perusal on various accounts. For one thing, it is a sort of guide-book to the Empire. With a very small exception, the Royal party in its tour of the world trod only on British soil, and it may be said that little of interest was missed by it. Now Mr. Maxwell being in constant attendance was in a position to acquaint himself with the main features of the places visited. Nobody in his position could remember all he heard and saw; but we do not know of any instance in which the fidelity of the guide-book, the picturesqueness of the descriptive writer, and a general comprehension of political and social conditions have been better combined in the small space that they have been in Mr. Maxwell's "With the Ophir Round the Empire." This is not to say that the details are always accurate. For instance, Mr. Maxwell writes with more certainty about the manners and habits of the Australian aborigine than would be attempted by men who have devoted years to the study of their modes of life. But this does not prevent his chapter on the subject from being informing and interesting. And, if we mention further that the royal visitors did not land, as Mr. Maxwell said they did, at Mrs. Macquarie's Chair, this is only to point out the unimportant nature of our author's mistakes. Mr. Maxwell has evidently spared no pains to make his book a worthy record of a memorable tour, and the information which he possesses he imparts after a most interesting fashion.

BOOKS FOR TEACHERS.

"Hygiene for Students," by Edward F. Willoughby (Macmillan and Co.) is, as Dr. Willoughby points out in his preface, a fourth edition, enlarged and improved, of the "Principles of Hygiene," published in 1884. In the circumstances the popularity of the book is a tribute to its excellence. Every year adds to our knowledge of sanitation and kindred subjects, and a text book concerning them must be up to date if its author is to hope for success. No pains have been spared in regard to "Hygiene for Students," which contains a deal of information about matters of vital importance.

"The King's Weigh House Lectures to Business Men" (Macmillan and Co.), is a collection of addresses on commercial subjects delivered in connection with the Evening Commercial School established by the London School Board. Amongst the contents are papers by Lord Avebury on "The History of Money," by Colonel Hozier on "Lloyds," by the Inspector of Official Receivers in Bankruptcy for England and Wales on "Commercial Bankruptcy: The Ways Into It and Out of It," by Herbert E. Crabb on "The Stock Exchange," and by the late Sir Courtenay Boyle on "Method and Organisation in Business." This little book will be found of much interest by the general reader, but it will be specially valuable to men who are equipping themselves for a commercial career.

Messrs. Swan Sonnenschein and Co. forward "Schools at Home and Abroad," by R. E. Hughes, a collection of addresses and essays on educational topics. It contains a concise and admirable study of educational systems in Europe. Mr. Hughes speaks as one who knows, and he is neither doctrinaire nor narrow-minded. He has evidently studied the English and Continental systems closely, and he has tried to make their principles accessible to persons who have not the time or the patience to consult the portentous educational statistics for themselves. His success is as marked as it is deserved, and "Schools at Home and Abroad" will be found of more use to schoolmasters and to educational reformers generally than many a more pretentious volume.

The first volume of "The Teachers' Manual of Composition," by Robert S. Wood (Macmillan and Co.), is for junior students only, and will be found of much use.

From the same firm we receive a translation by Mr. H. T. Calvert of "Practical Chemistry," by R. Abegg and W. Herz, respectively professor and demonstrator of analytical chemistry at the University of Breslau. Based upon modern physical chemistry, this little book will be found an excellent introduction to laboratory practice, especially in view of the exercises in preparations which it contains.

THE PROCESS YEAR BOOK.

Messrs. A. W. Penrose and Co. forward a copy of their "Process Year Book for 1901-2," edited by William Gamble. This is the seventh annual volume of this admirable publication, and it is not too much to say that it is far and away the best of an excellent artistic series. It contains a number of able articles by experts on different matters connected with the progress of the illustrative arts, and these will be read with interest even by persons who are not concerned in photographic and colour work. But it is the illustrations which will commend the work most to the general reader as well as to the expert. They are beautifully reproduced.

"Songs and Verses," by Philip Durham Lorimer (a copy of which comes from Mr. E. W. Cole), will be a pleasant reminder to many people in the State of an interesting individuality. "Old Phil, the Bush Poet," was well known throughout New South Wales. It was his custom to walk from town to town, somewhat after the manner of the wandering minstrels of old days. He sold his verses when he could to the proprietors of country newspapers, and was received as a welcome guest in homesteads that he passed on the way. He was possessed of a restless spirit, a quick eye for the beautiful, and a mania for solitude—and possessed of nothing else. In themselves his verses show feeling, though they are lacking both in expression and in polish. None the less they will be welcomed in many homes as a reminder of a gentle and amiable personality.

The "Pall Mall Magazine" for January contains an interesting character sketch of Lord Rosebery, in whom the political world at home has been particularly interested lately, and of other prominent politicians. Sir Herbert Maxwell discourses on "Mary Queen of Scots and the Mystery of the Casket Letters," and there are noteworthy articles and sketches by Coulson Kernahan, Joseph Conrad, the Countess of Warwick, Menie Muriel Dowie, William Archer, and others.

Mrs. Archibald Little's "Coming Home through Siberia" is the opening article of the January number of the "English Illustrated Magazine." Readers will also be interested in an autobiographical sketch of Dan Leno, and in contributions by I. Zangwill, Roy Horniman, and H. G. Wells.

In the "Century Magazine" for January there is the continuation of "Thackeray in the United States," by J. G. Wilson, with its hitherto unpublished letters and sketches. The contributions by Ruth M. Stuart, T. W. Riley, E. P. Butler, and Charles B. Loomis will be read with interest. There are informing papers also by Emerson Hough on "The Settlement of the West," and by Isaac N. Ford on "Electric Transit in London and Paris."

Students of American politics will find Senator Lodge's "The Treaty-making Powers of the Senate" the chief article in the January number of "Scribner's Magazine," the more so as Mr. Lodge is supposed to voice the new President's opinions on most subjects. Others will welcome Edith Wharton's sympathetic account of her impressions of Parma, entitled "Sub Umbra Liliorum." These are only two of the many interesting articles which the number contains.

The Rev. H. C. Beeching, Professor of Pastoral Theology at King's College, London, publishes under the title "Inns of Court Sermons" (Macmillan and Co.) certain addresses which he delivered in the Chapel of Lincoln's Inn, in the Temple Church, and in the University pulpit at Oxford. The substance of the sermon on "Religious Poetry" was contributed as an article to the London "Spectator," and the sermons generally breathe a welcome air of culture and tolerance.

"The Newcomes" is the latest addition to Messrs. Macmillan and Co.'s delightful edition of Thackeray, with facsimiles of the original production with its illustrations by Richard Doyle.

"The Cigarette Smoker," by C. Ranger Gull (Greening and Co.), is the gruesome story of one Uther Kennedy, who fell a victim to inordinate indulgence in the habit of cigarette-smoking—who became a nicotomaniac, in fact.

Messrs. R. A. Everett and Co. forward "How to Choose a Horse, or Selection before Purchase" and "The Groom's Guide, his Duties and how to Perform Them." Both are by Mr. Frank T. Barton, an eminent and prolific writer on veterinary matters, and both will be found full of good advice plainly given.

"Jean," by Harry Tighe (Elliot Stock), is a didactic "play" in a prologue and three acts. There is only one woman in the cast of characters, and she dies in the prologue. There is much excellent moral in the speeches delivered by some of the persons.

DRAUGHTS.

All communications for this department should be addressed to the Editor, "Sydney Morning Herald," Pitt-street, Sydney.

February 8, 1902.

George Saunders (Redfern).—You as well as others credit Mr. Byers with the authorship. C. T. may have sprung the position and in his case it may be original.

J. S. M. (Redfern).—Thanks for game. Your terms re end game are not sound; try over again.

J. S.—Re 451. When the position stands as per your play for a win, B 6—20, King 7, W Kings 14—18—19, you play 7—2 and win for white. Show a win after 7—3. Re 455, instead of 8—3 play 25—19, and draw, not so easy.

Solutions from J. Wilson, J. B. (Newtown), F. G., W. Harris, and Con. correct.

SOLUTIONS.

PROBLEM No. 453.

Solution held back.

PROBLEM No. 450.
(An end game by J. H. S.)

Black, 5, 10, 11, 18, 20.
White, 17, 21, 27, 28, 30.
White to play, Black to draw.

30—26 17—13 27—18 10—14 13—6 14—30
5—9 18—23 and draw

Several other variations might be given.

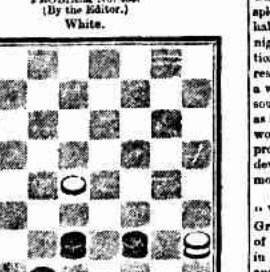
PROBLEM No. 451.
(By John Boyce, Sydney.)

Black, 6, 11, King on 2.
White Kings 9, 13, 18.
White to play and win.

9—5	16—20	5—1	20—24	19—16	31—27	11—7
11—16	23—27	7—10	23—19	27—31	1—5	
18—23	2—7	27—23	24—27	16—11	10—14	wins

PROBLEM No. 459.
(By the Editor.)

White.



Black.
Black to play and win.

PROBLEM.—No. 460.
(An end game.)

Black, 14, 26; Kings, 17, 31.
White, 29; Kings, 9, 10.
Black to play and win.

GAME No. 508.—"Cross."

Played between Messrs. J. S. Matters, of Redfern, and Langford, of Waverley. Matters moved.

11—15	11—15	1—10	15—24	11—7	21—25
23—18	31—27	7—14	28—19	24—27	28—18
8—11	8—11	18—9	3—7	7—3	25—30
27—23	25—23	17—22	25—22	27—31	18—14
4—8	1—5	25—18	7—11	3—7	30—26
23—19	21—17	14—23	22—18	31—27	14—10
9—14	14—21	27—18	11—16	7—11	26—23
18—9	23—14	5—23	18—15	27—24	32—28
5—14	10—17	a29—25	16—20	11—15	23—16
22—17	19—1	11—15	15—11	23—26	28—19
15—18	2—6	24—19	20—24	30—27	16—23

17—14 and the game was drawn.
(a) Should White have drawn after this?

GAME No. 509.—"Laird and Lady."

The following from the "Western Mail" were played between Messrs. Milne and Evans for the championship of Western Australia and a stake of £50.

Mr. Milne moved.

11—15	4—8	18—27	23—16	8—12	14—18
23—19	24—19	25—18	12—19	2—6	15—19
8—11	6—9	27—32	24—15	27—31	10—6
22—17	28—24	22—25	13—17	6—9	1—10
9—13	9—13	32—27	22—6	31—27	18—15
17—14	24—20	26—22	5—9	30—26	19—23
10—17	2—6	b27—23	14—5	27—31	15—6
21—14	32—28	31—26	7—23	26—22	23—26
15—18	a3—9	22—16	15—10	31—27	22—18
20—23	15—10	26—23	23—27	9—14	26—30
13—17	17—22	16—19	6—2	11—15	18—15
19—15	27—24	Mr. Milne resigned.			

(a) Can Black draw after this move?
(b) Milne was of opinion that this move lost the game.

GAME No. 510.—"Ayrshire Lassie."

Mr. Evans' move.

11—15	27—24	1—6	25—21	17—10	17—14
24—20	9—14	25—22	8—12	7—14	31—27
8—11	18—9	14—17	28—24	30—25	32—23
23—18	5—14	21—14	6—9	23—26	18—27
4—8	24—15	10—26	13—6	25—21	14—10
26—23	10—19	31—22	2—9	26—31	27—23
15—19	22—17	11—15	21—17	22—17	10—6
23—16	6—10	29—25	9—14	14—18	32—28
12—19	17—13	19—23	Evans won.		

GAME No. 511.—"Laird and Lady."

Played in the Victorian town and country match between Messrs. Rees and M'Donald, who moved.

11—15	17—14	13—17	25—21	13—17	27—24
23—19	10—17	19—15	17—22	24—20	18—27
8—11	21—14	4—8	30—25	2—6	25—2
22—17	15—18	24—19	9—13	14—10	11—18
9—13	26—23	6—9	28—24	7—14	22—14

and Mr. Rees won.

NOTES.

In this issue we have much pleasure in giving two games that were played between Messrs. Milne and Evans in their recent match for the championship of Western Australia. As both are well known in New South Wales as players of no mean ability, the games will be acceptable. Great interest was taken in the match. It was thought that Milne would have made a better show, notwithstanding that Evans had held his own against one of our best in Sydney some time back.

During the week the principal theme of conversation has been the system adopted by the D.A.C., under which the New South Wales championship tourney will be played. Many object to the all-round system in any way whatever, and want the knock-out pure and simple. Several country visitors have availed themselves of the privilege of visiting the S.S.A.C. for trials of skill, the most notable of whom was Mr. Frater, of Crookwell, who had trials against two of our first-classers, drawing a few games in fine style. With others he more than held his own, his performance all through being very creditable. He said that many in the surrounding districts took great interest in the game, and that frequently team matches were played, of which we have had no record, and that a district championship tourney was played recently.

A very interesting team match was played between the Newtown Workingmen's Institute and the Glebe Workingmen's Institute. The result was a dead heat with seven a side. Following is the score and order of play:—

Wins.	Glebe	Draws.	Newtown.	Wins.
0	H. Illingworth	3	Mr. Thompson	1
2	G. Ware	0	Mr. Farr	2
1	A. Foot	0	Mr. Stevens	3
1	J. Ware	1	Mr. Lane	2
1	J. Gillespie	0	Mr. Youson	3
3	Mr. M'Kay	1	Mr. James	0
3	Mr. Bonney	1	Mr. Hoffman	0
11		6		11

A level tourney will begin on March 1 at the School of Arts Club, the entrance fee to which is fixed at 1s. The committee has voted 30s towards the prizes. The club is now in a flourishing condition, several strong players having joined recently. The tourney, it is anticipated, will be very interesting.

In recording the feats of blindfold players the "Draughts World" says: "W. Strickland, of Leeds, contested 20 games simultaneously, Willie Gardner 22 twice, and H. Shearer, of Dundee, 18. W. Campbell, of Glasgow, has played 21 games."

The Pittsburg "Despatch" records a blindfold contest by Pillsbury at Chicago, in which he engaged 20 boards, 12 at chess and eight at draughts, his opponents in the latter game including Hefter, Denvir, Welen, Wendemuth, and Banks, and it is said he brought the performance to a successful conclusion, although the score is not given.

Mr. M'Ateer opens his first column in the "Pittsburg Sunday Gazette" by stating that he knows Barker is willing to go to Glasgow and again play Jordan. But as Jordan lives in Edinburgh, I suppose this must be set down as an error on Mac's part. Jordan has the call on where it shall be played, and has never to our knowledge expressed any intention of going to Glasgow. If Barker is agreeable to come "Glesca" length he can have no valid objection "tae gang tae Auld Reekie." The news gives evidence of a movement on the other side to bring about another meeting, and the hope of it being fruitful of that result will be pleasing to votaries on this side.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

From Mr. E. W. Cole: "Songs and Verses," by Philip Durham Lorimer, an Australian bush poet, edited by E. A. Petherick.

From Messrs. Smith, Elder, and Co.: "Ghost-Bereft, with other stories and studies in verse," by Jane Barlow.

From Messrs. Cassell and Co.: "With the Ophir round the Empire; an account of the tour of the Prince and Princess of Wales, 1901," by William Maxwell.

From Messrs. Macmillan and Co.: "The Teacher's Manual of Composition," by Robert S. Wood; "Inns of Court Sermons," by Professor H. C. Beeching; "Practical Chemistry," by R. Abegg and W. Herz, translated by H. T. Calvert; Thackeray's "The Newcomes."

From Messrs. A. W. Penrose and Co.: "The Process Year Book for 1901, an illustrated review of the graphic arts," edited by William Gamble.

From Messrs. R. A. Everett and Co.: "The Groom's Guide," and "How to Choose a Horse," by Frank Townend Barton.

From Messrs. Wells, Gardner, Darton, and Co.: "The Forbidden Room," by Phœbe Allen.

From Messrs. Greening and Co.: "The Cigarette Smoker, being the terrible case of Uther Kennedy," by C. Ranger Gull.

From Mr. Elliot Stock: "Jean: A play in prologue and three acts," by Harry Tighe.

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MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC NOTES.

Innumerable inquiries are being made as to the probability of another Italian opera season, and as to the weight to be attached to Mr. J. C. Williamson's discouraging speech at Saturday's farewell. That impressario, on being questioned on the point, emphasises his statement that the general financial result involved "the loss of a small fortune." He is not at all surprised to hear that the public is anxious for another season, because it has been the experience in Australia for 20 years past that music-lovers will talk enthusiastically about Italian opera without supporting it properly when they get it. This is especially the case in Melbourne, where the rival cliques following rival professors and organised conservatoriums are always patting themselves on the back about their love of musical art, but invariably fail to put in any sufficient appearance when a high-class attraction is offered. Turning to figures, Mr. Williamson stated that the average takings throughout the Sydney seasons of 121 performances were £258 a week higher than during the 84 performances in Melbourne. The disappointing feature in the Melbourne campaign was first the failure to recognise that a star tenor had been secured in Signor Dani, and the general want of interest in the first season, and then after that the failure to support the second season, when everything was so smoothly and perfectly represented. The Melbourne press critics were lavish in their praise of the second season, but the public did not come in. The short Brisbane season also involved a very heavy loss. But in Sydney also, where the support was good, the up-and-down character of the attendances was very perplexing. Thus "La Gioconda" had a splendid opening night, crowded and enthusiastic, a half-empty second night, and then a crowded third night. It was impossible to account for such variations, and they were of course fatal to the financial result in an enterprise that cost almost exactly £1400 a week to keep up. Thus even on a modest, though sound artistic scale, grand opera must be summed up as an expensive luxury. In the great centres of the world the managerial cost of grand opera is almost prohibitive. The amounts involved under the latest developments of the modern star system are enormous.

On this point Mr. Williamson remarked:—"Whilst I was in New York last year Mr. Maurice Grau showed me a return for a tour of 200 performances with the star cast in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, and, I believe, San Francisco. In this return the receipts were actually 950,000 dollars, and he demonstrated to me that there had been no profit after deducting expenses. No wonder the latest mails discuss his intention of retiring from management. Grand opera would not be possible at all in the United States or at Covent Garden, without the regular subscriptions, which are very large. The stock-holders of the Metropolitan Opera House (N.Y.) not only give the theatre free, surrendering their rights, but cheerfully pay £25,000 for their boxes. As regards Italian opera in Australia, I feel so satisfied with the artistic side of the affair that I regard the achievement as a whole with some pride. At the same time I cannot afford to go into it again without a guarantee. It will be time enough to consider the matter when musical enthusiasts have put their subscriptions together. There is no other way of guarding against that bane of the operatic impressario—the 'off nights.' It is not a question of absolute excellence so much as of comparison. Bring out Jean de Reszke in one cast and Tamagno in the other, and at the end of the first week the Australian public would choose their favourite, and establish an 'off night' with the rejected candidate at a salary of £200 a performance. Such is grand opera enterprise—without a guarantee. Even with one the manager's path is bestrewed with thorns."

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brough are enjoying a splendid tour through New Zealand, where, however, they have made an announcement which will be everywhere deeply regretted. In his farewell speech at Auckland, on January 15 last, Mr. Brough made a final good-bye, and stated that he and his wife intended retiring from the Australasian stage at the close of their present tour. Both the Auckland "Star" and the New Zealand "Herald" publish valedictory notices of an almost affectionately complimentary character, and the crowded audience was evidently touched by the news. So far as Sydney is concerned, playgoers have yet before them the pleasure of seeing the Brough Comedy Company once again, as Mr. Brough has in view a season at the Theatre Royal next July. Mr. Allan Hamilton, writing early in the present month, states that Mr. and Mrs. Brough were drawing crowded houses at Wellington.

Playgoers will welcome the return to Australia of Mr Frank Thornton, an event which will take place about three months hence. Mr. Alex. Mayne, of this city, has received news that Mr. Thornton will open at the Princess Theatre, Melbourne, early in May, and after a brief season there will appear in Sydney at the Palace Theatre. Mr. Thornton brings with him an entirely new company from England and several new pieces. One of these is "Facing the Music," a successful musical comedy by J. H. Darnley, author of "The Solicitor," and another is "A Little Ray of Sunshine," a quaint comedy full of characters in Dickens' style. Mr. Penley played this piece for a long run at the Royalty Theatre, then toured the provinces with it, and on his return to London during last year chose it for the opening of the newly-built "Penley's Theatre," where it again caught on. Mr. Thornton has other new attractions, as well as such favourite repertoire-pieces as "The Private Secretary" and "Charley's Aunt," so he should do well here.

In Melbourne, where the Christmas programme have held their own for many weeks, last nights are announced in every direction. "San Toy," which reaches its fiftieth performance on Monday, will be replaced this day week by "The Runaway Girl." This is one of a whole sheaf of popular musical comedies which Mr. J. C. Williamson has "laid up in lavender" for the Royal Comic Opera Company. The souvenirs prepared for the fiftieth performance of "San Toy" are particularly artistic, and present a beautiful series of three-coloured plates of the principal artists, drawn by Mr. Alf. Vincent with truth and vivacity. "Aladdin" is to be transferred on February 22 from the Princess Theatre to the Sydney Theatre Royal, and Mr. George Musgrove will substitute in Melbourne an English dramatic company in the new play, "Sweet Nell of Old Drury." Mr. A. B. Tapping is the head of the new company which will include Miss Nellie Stewart as Nell Gwynne, Mr Harcourt Beatty as Charles II., Mr. Webster Lawson as Rochester, and Mr. Albert Gram as Judge Jeffrey. Mr. A. B. Tapping, who was at one time in partnership with Mr. Charles Cartwright, and has for years been known as an English theatrical manager, will play comedy parts with the new company, which also includes Misses Alice Farleigh, Minnie Sadler, Edith Stewart, Emily Levettez, Messrs. Stirling, Imeson, and Gordon Bailey. Under this arrangement the part of Aladdin will be played in Sydney by Miss Rose Hamilton, who has not before appeared here, whilst Miss Ada Willoughby returns, after an absence of several years, as principal girl. At the Melbourne Theatre Royal Mr. Bland Holt has withdrawn "The Span of Life," and is finishing his season to crowded houses with the handsomely staged drama "The Derby Winner." The Bijou Theatre is now closed during stage improvements for the new company of World's Entertainers, who will arrive with Mr. J. G. Rial from America so as to open there next Saturday. Mr. Harry Rickards' company continues at the Opera House. In the concert-room, where nothing has occurred for a long time past, Mr. Williamson's Italian Concert Company has excited interest. Appearances were made at the Town Hall on Wednesday and Thursday. In addition to such concerted pieces as the Terzetto from "Ernani," the quartet from "Rigoletto," and the sestet from "Lucia," the first programme included the following solos:—"Chanson du Solveig" for violin, Signor Garibaldo; Prologue from "I Pagliacci," Signor Borzoli; "Una Voce," Signorina Vaccari; "Celeste Aida," Commendatore Larizza; "O Mio Fernando," Signorina Marcomini; "Charmant Oiseau" and Sapio's "Spring Valse," Mme. De Vere Sapio; "Spirto Gentil" and Gounod's "Ave Maria," Signor Dani; "Ritornar Vincitor," Signora De Benedetto; aria from "Simon Boccanegra," Signor Travaglini; prayer from "Otello," Signorina Bassich.

"Ben Hur" must be more widely read in the United States than in England, since the religious romance is said to be regarded in its own country as a classic, and to boast a sale as great as that of Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress." The author, General Lew Wallace, is a singularly handsome and soldierly-looking veteran, with piercing deepset eyes, shaggy white eyebrows, and a moustache and beard somewhat like that worn by the late Signor Foli. The veteran obtained his rank in the Mexican and Civil wars, and was Governor of New Mexico some 20 years ago—during which period he wrote the book—after which he was U.S. Minister at Constantinople.

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Yours very truly,
M. MORTIMER.

Extract from a letter, since written by the same lady to her son, Mr. John S. Mortimer, Llenwellyn, Katunga, Victoria.
HER DAUGHTER HAD BEEN ILL.
SPITTING UP BLOOD.
THE DOCTOR SAID NOTHING MORE COULD BE DONE.
CURED BY HEARNE'S BRONCHITIS CURE.
The extract runs as follows:—As for myself, thank the Lord, I am feeling stronger than I have for years. I had an attack of Bronchitis in November, but Hearne's Bronchitis Cure was again successful. I feel quite well, and walk into town feeling quite strong. I must ask you to send me six bottles more of the medicine, as I wish to have a supply in the house. I have tried to get it made up here, and let my chemist have a bottle to see what he could do. He tells me this week he can make nothing out of it; he never saw anything like it before, so there is only one thing for me to do, to send for more. I have never kept in bed one day since I commenced to take it; I used to be in bed a fortnight at a time always, and after that for months I was as weak as I could possibly be, and was always taking cod liver oil; so you will see at once it is quite worth while sending for it such a long distance. Something more I must tell you. Charlotte has been very ill since I wrote you. Her cough was so bad. She never had a night's rest, and was spitting up blood very much. The doctor told her husband that there was nothing more he could do for her, so on the Sunday I sent her half a bottle of the Bronchitis Cure, and told her to try it, and if she did not use it not to waste it, but send it back again. She had such confidence in her doctor that I thought she would not try it. On the Wednesday I sent over again, and she was much better, the night's rest was very good, and cough and bleeding from the lungs better. She sent for another half bottle, and on the following Sunday sent over to say that she was quite cured and did not require any more medicine. So you see what good it has done, and she wishes to have some with my next supply.

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Yours gratefully,
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A FIVE YEARS' CASE.
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Lord Rosebery and the Liberal Party—Political Rumours—The War and the Stock Exchange—British Trade—The Rivalry of the United States—Minister and Stockbroker.

WESTMINSTER, Jan. 3.

It is a long time since there has been such sound and fury in the newspapers as that which during the past week has hurtled round Lord Rosebery. It began quietly enough with a paragraph in a provincial paper asserting that Lord Rosebery had written to Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman in reply to a letter appealing for co-operation in restoring unity to the Liberal party. Lord Rosebery, it was stated, had positively, even bluntly, declined. The bait was eagerly seized by the London papers, which through the week have morning and evening poured out columns of special information and editorial comment on the alleged incident. One authoritatively announces Lord Rosebery's final detachment from the Liberal party, whilst another, lifting the veil from the supposititious correspondence, discloses Lord Rosebery flaunting in the face of Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman a handful of letters from leading members of the party declaring their allegiance to him in preference to the titular leader of the Liberal Opposition.

I have the highest personal authority for stating that this remarkable structure is absolutely without foundation. What has happened is that Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman, finding himself in town just before Christmas, called and left a card on his old friend in Berkeley-square. Lord Rosebery promptly responded by inviting C.-B. to luncheon on the following day. The invitation was accepted. There being two other guests at the table this circumstance precluded confidential conversation on political affairs if such opportunity had been desired by either of the statesmen. As a matter of fact none took place. C.-B. went off to catch his train, having enjoyed a quiet luncheon with an old colleague. No correspondence of the portentous kind imagined had either preceded or followed the interview.

The near approach of the opening of Parliament has revived political interest in other directions beyond this feverish phantasy about Lord Rosebery. It is generally recognised that the session will strike the average with its predecessor in the matter of lively interest. The Irish members alone may be reckoned upon to contribute to the animation of the scene. As far as the money-bag is concerned Mr. Redmond's trip to America has been a significant failure. The gross amount contributed will barely suffice to cover the pay-sheet through the new session, and no encouragement was given to return on a similar mission next autumn. When Mr. William O'Brien returned to Parliamentary life it was with the intention of personally leading the Nationalist party in the House of Commons. With that object in view he was ready to guarantee the sinews of war. Ill-health compelled him to withdraw from the contest on the threshold of the campaign. He is naturally not disposed to find the money in the altered circumstances, and recourse to public subscription is forced upon Mr. Redmond. As long experience has shown, the best way to raise the wind is to have a stirring scene in the House of Commons. A succession may therefore be expected before the session is a month old.

A curious story is current proffering explanation of the reason the long-established custom of dispensing New Year honours was abandoned. The King, it is said, wanted to raise Sir Thomas Lipton to the peerage. Lord Salisbury, it is added, bluntly refused to be party to such procedure, threatening to resign if the intention were carried out. It was therefore arranged to postpone till the Coronation all dispensation of honours, when Lord Salisbury, taking that more convenient opportunity of seeking the ease he is known to long for, a more pliable Minister may raise no objection to the personal predilection of his Majesty. Probably this also is pure invention. But the story has wide currency. In support of it there is cited the undoubted fact that the King personally interested himself to obtain the election of Sir Thomas to the Royal Yacht Club, in spite of which mighty influence the candidate was rejected.

There is a general feeling, partaking rather the character of instinct than of knowledge, that the date of the Coronation will see important changes in the Ministry. More especially if by that time the war is really over Lord Salisbury might reasonably press his well-established right to rest. During last session he frequently showed signs both of mental and bodily fatigue. With fists dug in the cushion on either side of him, and chin resting on his breast, he slept through much of each sitting. When he woke up to make a speech his colleagues were in a state of alarm, not knowing what blazing indiscretion he might hap pen upon. His withdrawal from active public life would be a national calamity, but advancing age and failing health make it inevitable. The Coronation, as marking the formal commencement of a new reign, would be an appropriate occasion for the retirement of a veteran statesman. In Conservative circles it is believed Lord Salisbury will seize it.

Members of the Stock Exchange are popularly credited with tendency to extreme jingo feeling. If that be so it is at least indulged in upon disinterested principles. There is no money in war for those who go down to do business in the deep waters of the Stock Exchange. I hear of some firms in large practice whose brokerage fees have barely covered their expenditure for the year. If peace were declared next week it would be welcomed nowhere more heartily than in the neighbourhood of Throgmorton-street. The only section of the community who have financially benefited by the war is that which dwells in Capetown. A friend just returning from a visit tells me the town is literally flooded with wealth extracted out of the pocket of the British taxpayer. The cessation of the war involving intermission of exceptional trading profits, it is only in accord with human nature that the honest citizens of Capetown are not personally inclined to contribute to hastening that end.

On the whole returns just issued show that British trade has not through the past year suffered the full falling-off anticipated. For 11 months our foreign trade shows decrease of something over 11 millions and a half in exports, and one million and three-quarters in imports. But the reduction is largely due to lower prices in coal and metals. By comparison with Continental nations who have been looking on at our war this falling-away is insignificant. The situation in Germany and in France is much more serious. Trade in Russia is in lamentably depressed condition, and in far-off Japan the pinch is severely felt.

In a private letter from one of his Majesty's Ministers now travelling in the United States, occurred the following significant passage: "There is a growing 'Stop the war' feeling out here. So much of the press is influenced by anti-English—mostly Irish—correspondents, that it is not to be wondered at. The vast majority of average Americans say England has no chance but to fight to a finish, just as the Americans must in the Philippines. Still if, for instance, Rosebery were to denounce the conduct of the war as inhuman, the cry would go forth 'Lo, another Gladstone!' and it is hard to say how great a revulsion of feeling might ensue." The letter is dated 15th December, the day before delivery of the Chesterfield speech, which in anticipation seems to have created almost as much interest in America as in this country.

Among a country house party I joined for Christmas week was a gentleman just returned from a protracted visit to the United States. A man of business, dealing with large affairs touching national industries at various points, he during his stay in America came into intimate personal contact with the leaders of big commercial and industrial enterprises. He has returned to his hapless native country in a state of absolute depression. He does not see how Englishmen, continuing to work in the grooves formed in days when this country practically had the monopoly of foreign trade, can long hold their own. The American, he reports, brimful of intense energy, is always on the outlook for something new, some better and shorter way of getting at ancient ends. He is ever fulfilling his desire, and, armed with new and more powerful implements, forges ahead with his work far in advance of his more lethargic and less active-minded competitor in the old home.

The King has been heard to say that there is no situation in which he finds completer rest than when on a railway journey. This is fortunate, since his Majesty is constantly moving about from place to place. Sir Edward Watkin put the thing in another way when he averred, as he frequently did, that the safest place in the world was a railway train in motion—of course either on the South-Eastern or Manchester, Sheffield and Lincoln lines, of both of which he was chairman.

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CHESS.

Hon. secretaries of chess clubs are invited to furnish news of general interest. The Editor will be happy to receive unpublished games and original problems (which should be accompanied by diagram and analysis) with a view to publication.

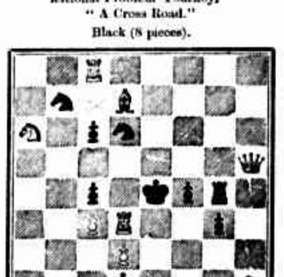
PROBLEM No. 479.
The "Sydney Morning Herald" Seventh International Problem Tourney.
"Tito."
Black (11 pieces).



White (10 pieces).
White to play and mate in two moves.
Forsyth Notation Modified.—2 N, 3 n, 1 p, 4 K, 3 b, 3 p, 1 p n B, 1 k, 1 p p Q N, 2 r, 1 P, 6 R, 5 P, 3 b, 4 R, 2 B, 1.

Key.—Counting from Black Q R—, the initial letter of piece is put for the square occupied thereby. Numerals denote intervening blank squares. Black pieces are in small letters.

PROBLEM No. 480.
The "Sydney Morning Herald" Seventh International Problem Tourney.
"A Cross Road."
Black (8 pieces).



White (9 pieces).
White to play and mate in two moves.
Forsyth Notation Modified.—2 R, 6 n, 1 B, 4 N, 1 p n, 11 Q, 2 p, 1 k p r, 3 P R, 2 p, 4 P, 7 K, 3 N.

PROBLEM No. 467.—"Straight Ahead."
Key move—Q Kt 4.
Correct Solutions from—E. M. Fry, H. K., J. Stevens, T. A. Dixon, C. Hutchinson, A. J. M., J. W. Hillyer, Once More, Willyama, J. Harvey, F. R. Smith, E. Farr.

PROBLEM No. 468.—"Summer Idyll."
Key move—Kt Kt 5.
Correct Solutions from: F. R. Smith, E. M. Fry, H. K., J. Stevens, T. A. Dixon, C. Hutchinson, A. J. M., J. W. Hillyer, Once More, Willyama, J. Harvey, E. Farr.
Correct solutions not above mentioned have reached us too late to score in tourney. They will, however, be acknowledged in our next issue.

NOTES.

The projected Chess Congress is naturally the topic of engrossing interest to the chess public of Australia at the present time. It is, perhaps, the only practicable method of enabling sufficient financial support to be accorded to the proposed Lasker—Pillsbury match being held in Australia. No such opportunity is likely to occur for many a day, and no pains should be spared to bring matters to a successful issue. It certainly seems an occasion when the powers that be might be appealed to.

The Sydney School of Arts championship tourney has the following entries to date:—G. Brown, W. G. Melville, A. Bunyan, E. A. Kentish, J. F. Volckman, G. Macoun, and W. Parry.

The Australian Gaslight Company v. Water and Sewerage Board.—Played at Sydney Chess Club on 5th instant:—

Australian Gaslight Company.		Water and Sewerage Board.	
1. Mr. R. Walshe	½	Mr. J. S. T. Purves	½
2. Mr. W. Johnstone	1	Mr. A. Hopkins	0
3. Mr. E. H. Walker	1	Mr. J. A. Harrison	0
4. Mr. L. Hardaker	½	Mr. R. H. Harris	½
5. Mr. A. P. Lane	1	Mr. J. E. Justilius	0
6. Mr. G. Grimm	1	Mr. W. J. D. Clarke	0
7. Mr. M. Johnston	0	Mr. H. Solomon	1
8. Mr. W. Farrell	0	Mr. A. Fitzgerald	1
9. Mr. W. Slinn	1	Mr. R. Edmonds	0
10. Mr. H. Wise	1	Mr. S. Doyle	0
11. Mr. J. O. Simpson	0	Mr. W. Beaumont	1
	6½		4½

The following two smart contests occurred in a recent Dutch Congress:—

White—J. Colpa.	Black—R. Loman.		
1. PK4	PK4	10. QK2	Castles
2. BB4	KtKB3	11. QK4	BK3
3. PQ3	PQ4	12. KtxP	KtB3
4. PxP	KtxP	13. KtxB	PxKt
5. KtKB3	KtQB3	14. QxP ch	KR
6. Castles	BK2	15. KtQ2	BQ3
7. PQR3	BKKt5	16. KtB3	RK
8. BK3	KtQ5	17. KtKt5 and wins (a)	
9. BxKt	PxB		

(a) If RxQ, 18 KtB7 ch, KK, 19 KtxQ and wins easily.

White—R. J. Loman.	Black—G. C. A. Oskam.		
1. PK4	PK4	8. PQB3	BK2
2. PKB4	KtKB3	9. BK3	Castles
3. KtQB3	PQ4	10. KtB4	BKKt4
4. PxKP	KtxP	11. QKtxP	BxKt
5. QB3	PKB4	12. BxB	KtxQP
6. KKtK2	KtQB3	13. BB4ch	RB2
7. PQ4	BQKt5	14. Castles QR and wins (a)	

(a) This also is pretty. Kt x Q is impossible on account of R x Q mate.

WINNERS OF NEW ZEALAND CHAMPIONSHIP.
The following shows the winners of all the New Zealand championship tournaments held in New Zealand, and the towns represented by them:—
1879—H. Hookham, Christchurch.
1888—A. M. Ollivier, Christchurch.
1889—H. Hookham, Christchurch.
1890—R. J. Barnes, Wellington.
1891—F. V. Siedeberg, Dunedin.
1892—F. V. Siedeberg, Dunedin.
1893—J. Edwards, Dunedin.
1894—W. Mackay, Wellington.
1895—W. Meldrum, Rangitikei.
1896—R. J. Barnes, Wellington.
1897—R. J. Barnes, Wellington.
1898—R. A. Cleland, Dunedin.
1900—W. Mason, Wellington (held at Easter, instead of commencing, as before, on Boxing Day).
1901—D. Forsyth, Dunedin (held at Easter).
1902—R. J. Barnes, Wellington (commencing Boxing Day).—Canterbury "Times."

Simultaneous Chess.—On the 20th ultimo Mr. W. Viner, champion of Western Australia, gave an exhibition in the lodgeroom of the Mechanics' Institute, Perth. At about 20 minutes past 8 the champion commenced play, and continued till about 11, when it was found that only five games remained to be adjudicated on. Of these two were given in favour and one against Mr. Viner, while two proved to be draws. Of the 17 games contested Mr. Viner won 11, lost 4, and drew 2, a very fine performance, and especially so when taking into consideration the rapidity with which Mr. Viner moved—23 moves per board in about one hour and a half is little short of a record. The champion won from Messrs. Farrington, Hubbiethwaite, Eliott, Berry, Wilkinson, Avent, M'Donald, Meckenstock, Miller (Fremantle), Hitchins (Coolgardie), and Mather; lost to Messrs. Gregory, Watson, Bates, and Hood; and drew with Messrs. Byass and Crossley.—"Western Mail."

BOROUGH OF THE GLEBE.

PROPOSED REDUCTION OF THE RATES.

When the Mayor's annual report was under consideration at the last meeting of the Glebe council the ex-Mayor (Alderman Lucas), in speaking to the motion for the adoption of the report, pointed out that during the past four years the council had been enabled to reduce the liabilities of the borough from £42,000 to £37,000. He said he thought this was most satisfactory to all concerned. While the council had made this saving, at the same time it had not in any way neglected the roads of the borough. The thoroughfares of the Glebe would, he thought, compare favourably with any municipality in the State. The council was also ready at any time to meet emergencies, such as the breaking out of an epidemic, &c., without having to go cap in hand to the Government to financially assist the borough, as many councils were compelled to do. While all this progress had been made he thought the time had now arrived when the ratepayers should receive some direct benefit from the sound financial position that the borough was in. He proposed to reduce the lighting rate a little at once, and when the council received from the Government compensation for the sewerage works which had been taken over, then he thought the lighting rate should be done away with altogether, and the general rate of 1s in the £ would be sufficient to cover all necessary expenditure. Each ratepayer would then get the benefit of the council's savings for years past. He hoped the council would at the commencement of the new municipal year consider this matter, and give effect to the suggestion he then made.

The report of the Mayor, a resume of which was published in the "Herald" of yesterday, was then adopted.

MARRICKVILLE COTTAGE HOSPITAL.

A ballot for the election of the committee of Marrickville Cottage Hospital was taken on Monday evening, and resulted as follows:—Mr. P. W. Berne, B.A., 66; Lieutenant-Colonel Longfield, 64; Miss Lawson, 61; Mr. H. B. Linthorn, 59; Mrs. E. M. Travett, 58; Mr. C. W. Bloomfield, 58; Alderman W. T. Henson, 57; Mr. Samuel Cook, 53; Mrs. T. W. Garde, 52; Alderman James Gould, 46; Mr. William Thornsey, 42; and Mr. G. B. Whitelaw, 40. Mr. Berne was re-elected hon. secretary, a position he has occupied since the inception of the hospital movement, and Lieutenant-Colonel Longfield was appointed hon. treasurer.

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RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Church of England.

ST. ANDREW'S CATHEDRAL.
H. C., 8. Preachers: 11, Canon Boyce; 3.15, Rev. H. T. Holliday; 7, Archdeacon Gunther. Ash Wednesday: 8, H. C.; 11, Morning Prayer and Communion Service; 5, Evensong; address, the Precentor.

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. LAURENCE.—Quinquagesima.—Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m.; Matins, 10.30 a.m.; Choral Eucharist and Sermon, 11 a.m.; Litany, 3 p.m.; Evensong and Sermon, 7.15 p.m. Preacher ARCHDEACON JOHNSON, of Likoma.

HARVEST Thanksgiving.—Limelight Address, St. Luke's, Sussex-st., Sunday, 7.30 p.m. All welcome.

ST. BARNABAS, George-st. W.—11, Rev. N. Jenkyn; 7, H.C., Rev. W. A. Charlton. Tues. 7.45 p.m., ann. gath.

SCHOOL CHURCH, Tempe, Cook's River.—11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m. Preacher, Rev. J. L. Bosworth.

ST. PHILIP'S, Church-hill.—11 a.m., Rev. R. B. S. Hammond; 7 p.m., Ven. Archdeacon Langley.

ST. MICHAEL'S, Flinders-st.—11, Rev. Dr. J. N. Manning; 7.15, Rev. H. F. L. Palmer.

ST. PETER'S, Woolloomooloo.—11 a.m., the Rev. L. Charlton; 7.15 p.m., the Rev. — O'Neil.

ST. MATTHIAS' CHURCH, 11 a.m. and 7.15 p.m. Rev. J. Smith, M.A.

ST. THOMAS', Balmain.—11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. G. MIDDLETON.

ST. PAUL'S, Redfern. To-morrow morning, Rev. W. A. O'Neill; evening, Rev. Canon Boyce.

ST. JOHN'S, Darlinghurst.—8 a.m., H.C.; 11 a.m., the Rev. H. T. H. Wightwick, M.A.; 3.15 p.m., Children's Service, the Rev. H. T. H. Wightwick, M.A.; 7 p.m., the Rev. Canon Pain.

S. MARK'S, DARLING POINT.
Services—8, H.C.; 11, 3 (Children); 7.30.
Rev. WILLOUGHBY FLOWER, M.A., Rector.

S. JAMES', KING-STREET.—HARVEST THANKSGIVING. 8 and 9, Holy Communion; 11, Mattins and Sermon; 3, Children's Service; 3.15, Mission Service in Domain; 7.15, Evensong and Sermon, "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come."

Midday Service for Business People every day in Lent (except Saturdays), commencing NEXT WEDNESDAY, at 1.25 p.m.

Presbyterian.

ANNANDALE, Hunter-Baillie Memorial.—Rev. J. S. Scott, 11 and 7.

BURWOOD, St. James' Presbyt. Church.—Rev. E. Scott West, forenoon 11 and evening 7.15.

CHALMERS CHURCH, opp. Exhibition Building.—Rev. Robt. Jackson, M.A., 11 and 7.15. All welcome.

GLEBE CHURCH.—Rev. Dr. Clouston, at 11 and 7. Evening subject: "Shall we Live for Ever?"

NORTH ST. LEONARDS.—Rev. W. H. Ash, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

NEWTOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. T. W. DUNN. 11, "The Light that Failed;" 7, Religion in Sydney Art Gallery, "The Gamesters." Sermon to Young Men.

PALMER-ST.—Mr. J. Keith Miller, 11, "Moral and Spiritual Conditions;" 7.15, "Drink Problem."

PITT and BAY STREETS Presbyterian Church.—Minister, Rev. D. Fenwick.—Service will be held in the Foresters' Hall, 850 Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

RANDWICK.—Rev. C. H. Talbot, 11, "Christian Certainty;" 7.15, "Moral Accountability."

ST. GEORGE'S Church, Castlereagh-st.—Communion, Rev. D. M'Innes; evening, Rev. S. P. Stewart.

SCOTS' Church, Church Hill. 11, Dr. Dill Macky; 7, Rev. F. Colwell, Chippendale.

ST. LUKE'S Presbyterian Church, Redfern.—Rev. F. J. Curtis, 11 and 7. Full choir and orchestra.

STANMORE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. OPENING SERVICES. TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9th, In the TOWN HALL, PETERSHAM. Morning, 11 o'clock, and Evening, 7 o'clock, Rev. John Walker, of Woollahra.

ST. STEPHEN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PHILLIP-STREET.—Rev. JOHN FERGUSON, Minister. Fellowship Class, 10 a.m. Morning service, 11: "If Thou hadst known." Evening service, 7: "The Pious Rogue—a study in greed."

WAVERLEY.—Graham Memorial, Charing Cross.—Rev. J. Macaulay, M.A., 11 and 7.15. All welcomed.

WELSH CHURCH.—St. Andrew' Presbyterian. Ser. Morn. 11, English; Even. 7, Welsh. Rev. J. Griffiths.

WOOLLAHRA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Corner of Ocean and Forth streets. Rev. Principal HARPER, D.D., 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

Congregational.

PITT-STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Rev. E. TREMAYNE DUNSTAN. Morning at 11, Rev. Dr. Lawes, of New Guinea. Subject: "Our Coloured Fellow Subjects." Evening at 7, the Pastor. Subject: Books that are Read by the Million. No. 4, "The Scarlet Woman," by Joseph Hocking. Anthems: "How Lovely are the Messengers" (Mendelssohn); "As Pants the Hart" (Spohr). Solo by Miss Ruby Bowring.

BOURKE-ST.—Rev. C. Whyte, M.A., 11, "The King's Daughter;" 7, "The Soul among Lions."

BURWOOD CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. G. Campbell, morning and evening.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Newtown.—11, Rev. J. Buchan, M.A.; 7, Rev. Dr. Lawes, of New Guinea.

CROYDON Cong. Church.—Rev. Loyal L. Wirt, B.D., of Newcastle, morning at 11, evening at 7.15.

DULWICH HILL.—Thanksgiving Sunday. Thankoffering for church renovation. Rev. W. Morley, 11, 7.

NORTH SYDNEY.—Rev. N. J. Cocks, M.A. 11 and 7, Praise Service, Evening, soloist, Miss Ethel Liggins. Anthem, "Radiant Morn." Cornet solo, "The Lost Chord." Choir and orchestral accompaniment.

OCEAN-ST., Woollahra. Pastor, Rev. F. B. Cowling. 11, "Hopefulness;" 7, "Doublemindedness."

POINT PIPER-RD.—Rev. Dr. Fordyce, 11 a.m., 7.30 p.m. "Our Common Salvation."

PETERSHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—SUNDAY, 9th Feb. Morning at 11, Mr. R. Y. Austin; Evening at 7.30, Mr. A. Austin. Organ Recital, 7.15 p.m.

REDFERN Church.—Rev. E. Bones, At 11, "These Twelve Years;" 7.15, In Memoriam late Mr. W. Ellard.

SUMMER-HILL Congregational Church, 11 a.m., Mr. A. H. Austin; 7 p.m., Mr. A. H. Teece.

WATERLOO CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Morning, at 11, Rev. E. T. DUNSTAN, of Pitt-street. Evening, at 7, Rev. A. BRISCOMBE.

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CENTENARY HALL (C.M.M.)
Morning: Rev. JOS. WOODHOUSE. Evening: Rev. W. G. TAYLOR, on "CLEANING THE SLATE."
TO-NIGHT, 7.30, Consecration Service; SUNDAY, 3, Domain Service. All seats Free. Everybody welcome.
N.B. HARVEST FESTIVAL, FEBRUARY 16. SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC, FEB. 15.

ANNANDALE.—M. Rosvley, morning, 11, "Sin and Shoddy;" 7, "Sin Put Behind God."

BURWOOD Harvest Festival Services.—Morning, at 11, Rev. C. J. M'Coy; Afternoon, at 3, Rev. T. W. Dunn; Evening, at 7, Rev. C. J. M'Coy. Beautiful church decorations. Choice harvest anthems by large choir. Everybody welcome. On Monday, Feb. 10, Public Meeting and Musical Festival at 7.45 p.m. Chairman, T. H. Nesbit.

GLEBE Wesleyan.—C.E. Anniversary: 11, Rev. Henry Martin; 7, Rev. W. Halse Rogers. Monday, 7.45 p.m., Annual Meeting; Speakers, Rev. Dr. Porter, Rev. Dr. Dill-Macky.

STANMORE.—7.30 a.m., Prayer Meeting; 11, Rev. F. C. Boyer; 7, Rev. J. E. Carruthers. Visitors welcome.

TEMPE PARK (St. Peters).—OPENING NEW CHURCH.—Rev. R. H. Rickard, 11; Rev. George Lane, 3; Rev. C. Stead, 7. Monster TEA MEETING TUESDAY, 6.30 to 7.45; Pub. MEETING, 8.

WILLIAM-ST., 11, Rev. W. G. Taylor; 7, Rev. J. Woodhouse, on Prayer for Rain.

WESLEY CHURCH, Regent-street.—Harvest Festival. 11, Rev. W. H. Beale; 3, Revs. F. Colwell and J. Nairn. Subject: "The Joy of Harvest." 7.15, Rev. Dr. Dill Macky. Soloist, Miss Belle Ray. Church beaut. dec.

Baptist.

BAPTIST Church, Boulevard, Petersham.—Dr. Porter, morning and evening, seats free, all welcome.

BURTON-ST. Tabernacle.—Rev. C. S. Rose, 11 and 7, evening subject "A Ruling Shepherd."

BAPTIST CHURCH, BATHURST-STREET. Rev. J. A. SOPER. 11, "Blessed are the Weak." 7, "Tested by Fire." (Illustrated.)

HARRIS-STREET.—11 a.m., Rev. S. Harrison; 7 p.m., Rev. S. Sharp, The Faithful Saying.

MARRICKVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH.—Church Anniversary. Morning, 11, Rev. W. BECK. Afternoon, 3, Mr. J. FRYER. Evening, 7, Rev. H. Martin. Tuesday, TEA MEETING, 6.30.

NEWTOWN Baptist Ch.—11 and 7, Rev. H. Clark. Tea and Publ. Mtg., Tues., 11th inst., 6.30. Tickets 1s.

NORTH Sydney Baptist Church, Ernest-st., tram terminus.—Rev. W. R. Hiddlestone, morning and even.

PARTICULAR Baptist Church, Castlereagh-st.—Lord's Day, 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Pastor F. Beedel.

STANMORE Baptist Church, Rev. James Tinsley, 11 a.m., 7 p.m. 7 a.m., prayer meeting.

STRICT Baptist Church, O.F. Temple, Elizabeth-st.—Lord's Day, at 11 a.m., 7.15 p.m. Mr. Fremlin.

WALLIS-ST., Woollahra.—Rev. C. Moon, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Churches of Christ.

PETERSHAM TABERNACLE, Gannon-street, Petersham.—Opening Services, 11, G. T. Walden; 3, P. A. Dickson; 7, G. T. Walden. Subj.: "God is Love." Tues., Tea and Public Meeting. Tea, 6.30. Pub. Mtg., 7.30.

CITY TEMPLE, Campbell-st., Sydney.—11, E. Gale; 7, P. A. Dickson. Baptism at close of Services.

TABERNACLE, Metropolitan-rd., Enmore.—11, T. Bagley; 7, R. C. Gilmour.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Paddington-st., Padd.—11, G. T. Jones; 7, T. Bagley. Subj.: "The Scattered Disciples."

Other Services.

AUSTRALIAN CHURCH. Rev. GEORGE WALTERS. I.O.O.F. TEMPLE, ELIZABETH-STREET. 11 a.m., "WHERE ARE THE ANGELS?" 7 p.m., three great teachers of progressive religion, CHANNING, EMERSON, THEODORE PARKER.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, HYDE PARK. Mr. A. B. WORTHINGTON. 11 a.m.: "The Sea of Glass Mingled with Fire." 7 p.m.: "CHAINS." Solo by Miss BEARD. Organ Recital by Mr. E. TRUMAN, A.R.C.O., L.R.C.M. MONDAY: 1st Lecture in 2nd Course Metaphysics.

A SCIENCE OF LIFE. Students of the Science of Life meet in Norwich-chambers, 56 Hunter-street, every SUNDAY, 7.15 p.m. WEDNESDAYS, 7.45 p.m. All interested are invited. Library Open Daily, 10.30 to 5.30; Sat., 10 to 1. PROGRESSIVE THOUGHT for Feb., 6d, post free.

CHRISTADELPHIAN HALL, 413 Elizabeth-st.—Lecture, Sunday, 7 p.m.: "Life in Christ."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE will be held at the new address, Aurora-chambers, 28 Hunter-street, between Pitt and George, TO-MORROW, Sunday, at 11 a.m. Wednesday, 8 p.m.

DR. BILLMANN, Sunday, 7.15 p.m., in Progressive Thought Hall, 88 Hunter-street. "A Symphony of Life—Appreciation, Co-operation, Reconciliation."

GOSPEL OF GOD'S GRACE, Lord's Day Evening, Queen's Hall, 7.15, by Mr. A. C. Doutty, Tabernacle (diagrams). Address, Parramatta Hall, 330 Castlereagh-street South, TUESDAY, 7.45 p.m., by Mr. H. Alexander.

METAPHYSICAL ASSN.—16 Pitt-street.—The annual GENERAL MEETING of members will be held THURSDAY Next, 13th February, at 7.30 p.m. Attendance of all members requested.

NEW CHURCH (Sydney Society), Thomas-street.—Morning, 11: Mr. W. J. Spencer, "The Cup of Salvation." A special general Meeting will be held in the Church-hall, MONDAY, 17th instant, commencing at 7.45 p.m. BUSINESS: Election of Representatives to the Brisbane Conference.

PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY. DISCUSSION (continued) TO-MORROW, 7 p.m., "Christianity: Is it Supernatural and Divine?" Queen's Hall, Pitt-street. No collection.

PSYCHIC SOCIETY OF N.S.W.
Mr. W. C. HARWOOD will deliver a LECTURE TO-MORROW EVENING, 7 o'clock, at Tattersall's Hall, Hunter and Castlereagh streets. Subject, "THE GAINS OF SPIRITUALISM." Public invited. Collection.

SPIRITUALISM.—Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan's Seance, Sunday, 7.30. Messages to all. 270 Pitt-st., upstairs.

SPIRITUALISM.—Mrs. Hughes, Seance Sunday, 7.30, Tues., 8. Priv. sittings. 36 Missenden-rd., Newtown.

SPIRITUALISM.—Mrs. Marshall's Spiritual Lecture, Sunday, 8 p.m. 347 Sussex-st., near Liverpool-st.

SPIRITUALISM.—Miss Blake's Meeting, Sunday, 7.30. Dev. Class, Wed. night, 6d.; vac. 70 Newtown-rd., City.

SPIRITUALISM.—Mrs. Warriner's Seances ev. Tues. and Thur. at 8, 1s. Priv. daily, 11 to 4. 308 Crown-st.

SPIRITUALISM.—Mr. Brown's Meeting, Sun. Night; Develop. Class Mon. Night. 470 O. S. Hd.-rd., Bondi J.

SPIRITUALISM.—3 o'clock Sunday aftern., Queen's Hall, Pitt-st., Madame Leota renders spiritual address, and Mr. Bostock gives spirit descript.; also the usual spiritual services at their priv. circles, Sun. even., 7.30.

SYDNEY THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, 42 Margaret-street, Wynyard-square.—Mr. G. Kollerstrom will Lecture on HEREDITY and REINCARNATION, SUNDAY, at 7.30 p.m. All are welcome.

STUDENT'S CHRISTIAN UNION. UNIVERSAL DAY OF PRAYER. MEETING for Students and Friends at University on SUNDAY, 9th Feby., at 3 p.m. Ministers are invited to remember the movement in public worship. Professor Harper will address meeting.

Y.M.C.A. Young Men's Bible Class, 3 o'c., Sunday, "Lord's Second Coming." Young men welcome.

Y.M.C.A. Gospel Service, Sunday, 7.30, 3 workers (Messrs. Austin, Mill, Henery) giv. 5 min. addresses.

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ACCOMMODATION for a few visitors at Medlow Tea Rooms, adjoining the lovely private grounds.

A—BLUE MTS.—Comf. Board and Residence, large gar., orchard, best atten. Weeks, Wentworth Falls.

A—BLUE MTS., Jamieson Creek.—Swimming baths free visitors. Weeks, Weeks' Cot., Wentworth Falls.

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AT MELBOURNE. ROCHESTER LODGE. Private Boarding Establishment. Collins-place East.

AT RUGBY VILLA, Fairfield.—Sup. ACCOM. for country visitors, hot baths, &c. Three min. from station and 10 to George's River.

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A Second and Final DIVIDEND, at the rate of One Shilling and Twopence (1s 2d) in the £ in the above Estate is now payable at my office. Promissory notes must be surrendered.
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THE CASE OF MR. C. J. LENTON.

(By a Reporter.)

A reporter was specially commissioned to take a journey to Redfern, and find out if the information received about Mr. Lenton's sufferings from neuralgia, and subsequent cure by Clements Tonic, were exactly as had been stated, and on alighting from the tram he walked down Elizabeth-street until he reached No. 30, where, upon entering, he was met by Mr. Lenton, who good-naturedly commenced a conversation on the subject of his neuralgia troubles.

"I can trace the origin of my neuralgia to a cricket match in which I took part on the Redfern Park between eight and nine years ago. I have good cause to remember the occasion. It was on a Queen's Birthday, and a dreadful day it was for playing cricket. The weather was bitterly cold, and we were running about and standing at intervals in the mud. My feet got wet, and I sustained a severe chill into the bargain. Those were the days when I was a member of the Surrey United Cricket Club, which I belonged to for about sixteen years, and had the honour of acting as captain and secretary for a portion of that time. But the majority of young fellows never think of the risks they run of catching various complaints when a game of cricket is at stake, and I suppose I was like the rest of them. Those trophies you see over there represent many a happy hour on the cricket field, but I have spent many a painful one indoors through playing."

"Were you attacked suddenly?"

"Yes; it did not take very long to develop, and there was no chance of mistaking it for toothache, the pains being so acute that they would dart through my head with agonising persistence. If ever there was a brief lull in the torturing shafts that I was a victim to, there was always a dull headache instead. I was never free from pain, and my jaws became so badly affected that I could not eat with any degree of freedom. That did not prove a great hardship, because I was always afraid of eating in case it might start the neuralgia at work again. On retiring to bed at night I would hoodwink myself into the belief that sleep would drive the enemy away; but to my utter disappointment and dismay there was very little rest for me, and I would harness myself up for business in the morning with great reluctance, feeling tired, weak, and miserable. My face was a good index as to my condition, for it became haggard and drawn, and bore the imprint of torture on every outline. I had always been a strong, healthy man, and the way I was falling off used to cause me a deal of anxiety. I often wished it was toothache instead of neuralgia, because I would have had every one of them drawn out, if necessary, to get rid of the pain. It was only to be expected that under these trying circumstances it would take very little to make me irritable, and I could not attend to the duties of a superintendent of an infants' Sunday school with as much grace and pleasure as I do now. As time dragged wretchedly on the excruciating pains became worse, and I must confess that I considered it was owing to my teeth getting very bad. I could feel something forming on the left corner of my lips, which made me feel very depressed. I could not make out what it was, but it added greatly to my neuralgia pains whenever I tried to force myself to eat."

"Were you making any effort to get rid of the neuralgia?"

"Well, rather; I gave nearly every mixture and pill I knew of a trial; but they proved to be rank failures. Not one of them gave me relief or ease from pain. I could have done just as well without them—in fact, better, because they all cost money, you know. It is some considerable time ago now, and I am not quite sure how it came about—whether it was through something I had read or not; but I think an acquaintance told me Clements Tonic would cure me, and sure enough it did. I was in the same state as a drowning man catching a straw; I had in vain taken so many alleged remedies, but all were unable to release me from pain. I found that Clements Tonic would fix me up after taking a reasonable course of it, for there was a marked decrease in my agony when only a few doses had been taken. I used to take it as though I was thirsty, knowing that it was only a question of a little time when it would put me to rights. As the pain became less and less I could sleep much better; then I had more of a craving for my food. About the end of the first bottle the neuralgia was conquered, and the restless, nervous feeling which had enshrouded my existence for so long was supplanted by my usual calm and steady disposition. In due course I could command a sound night's rest, and would get up and enjoy my breakfast in the morning. Headaches and their depressing influences were quickly made strangers to me, and when the third bottle was placed by the side of its empty predecessors I was fit to play cricket in the mud again; although my prudence will deter me from running the risk of a repetition of my suffering."

"Have you been free from neuralgia ever since?"

"I am thankful to say that I have; but the growth under the tooth which I have previously referred to was a cancer, and last Christmas I had it cut out. I spent the whole of that day in bed, so you may depend I did not enjoy myself. The operation was very trying to my strength, but a bottle of Clements Tonic soon brought back my energy, and all that remains of the cancer now is a feeling as though a plaster of ice was put on the side of my face when I go out into the cold. I can honestly say that Clements Tonic performed a radical cure of my neuralgia, and I may also state that when one of my sisters was almost paralysed through a domestic affliction which occurred, it was with the same remedy that we brought her round. My wife has every reason to speak in the highest terms of its wonderful strengthening attributes, for she is indebted to Clements Tonic for bringing back her strength after a serious mishap. When anything goes wrong in the way of sickness it is the first thing we go for. We have so much faith in its reliability. I have lived in Redfern and Waterloo for about thirty-five years altogether, and you may guess I am very well known."

"Can we publish the opinion you so candidly express?"

"Certainly you can; and you may publish over the country as you desire."

STATUTORY DECLARATION.

I, Charles Joseph Lenton, of 30 Elizabeth-street, Redfern, Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, do solemnly and sincerely declare that I have carefully read the annexed document, consisting of four folios, and consecutively numbered from one to four, and that it contains and is a true and faithful account of my illness and cure by Clements Tonic, and also contains my full permission to publish in any way my statements, which I give voluntarily, without receiving any payment; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act made and passed in the ninth year of the reign of her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the more effectual abolition of Oaths and Affirmations taken and made in the various Departments of the Government of New South Wales, and to substitute Declarations in lieu thereof, and for the suppression of voluntary and extra-judicial Oaths and Affidavits."

Charles Joseph Lenton

Declared at Waterloo this 30th day of July, one thousand nine hundred, before me,
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THE COMMONWEALTH PARLIAMENT.

THE SENATE.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7.

The President took the chair at 10.30 a.m.

THE FEDERAL CAPITAL.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL moved,—

"That to enable members of the Senate to visit the proposed sites for the federal capital, the Senate at its rising adjourn until Tuesday, 25th instant, at half-past 2 o'clock p.m."

He said that the question of the Federal capital site must be taken in hand next session. The actual selection of the site could not be made, and ought not to be made, until members had had an opportunity of inspecting a number of the sites likely to be discussed. The selection would depend on a great many circumstances, and members ought to be acquainted with the physical configuration, surroundings, and general aspect of the country in which the proposed sites were situated, as a matter of justice to the Commonwealth and New South Wales, a portion of which territory was to be taken. He would suggest that it was only right that individual members of the Senate should undertake the duty. The only business before the House was the Electoral Bill, and he had no doubt they would be able to finish the bill when they came back, and before the arrival of the tariff. Information of a very detailed character had been collected by Mr. Oliver, and other information would be available to members.

Senator Sir J. H. SYMON (S.A.): Is there an estimate of the cost of the visit?

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL said there had been money placed on the Estimates to carry out the visit. Arrangements would be made to enable the party to start on Tuesday. It would perhaps be more convenient to make the date of the resumption the 26th, and he would move accordingly.

Senator Sir J. H. SYMON (S.A.) said that whilst on the previous day the leader of the House had urged that the Electoral Bill must be gone on with he now proposed to adjourn for a fortnight. This was a magnificent testimony to the urgency of the Electoral Bill. He had no objection to the adjournment, but wished it to be put on true grounds. He held that the Electoral Bill had not the slightest chance of passing this session. He would move the omission of the words "to enable the members of the Senate to visit the proposed sites for the federal capital," and that the adjournment be to March 5. He held that if there was to be an inspection this was not the proper time. He protested against these picnics at the expense of the country, and he specially objected to the proposal being suddenly launched for a reason which it was idle to say was the correct one. He, himself, favoured the adjournment because they were simply waiting for the tariff, which was the only serious business now before the House.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: I take the view that the Electoral Bill is a matter of importance.

Senator Sir J. H. SYMON said he did not see how this was reconcilable with the motion. The House was under a solemn duty to pass the tariff this session. Representatives of New South Wales had a right to demand that the question should be settled at the earliest possible moment.

Senator SMITH (W.A.) said he objected to the motion, and still more to the amendment. There was no urgent necessity for visiting the sites, as they had more urgent business to attend to. The effect would be to wreck the Electoral Bill and to play into the hands of the opponents of the bill.

Senator Sir J. DOWNER (S.A.) said he was favourable to the adjournment as a protest against the abominable delay which had occurred in the other House. He attributed the blame to New South Wales, owing to that State having made no recommendation in regard to the federal site.

Senator FRASER (Vic.) said he considered that the time which it was proposed to devote to an inspection of sites would not enable members to visit half of them.

Senator STEWART (Q.) said he thought the proposition an extraordinary one in view of the state of business. He also thought there was some ground for the conclusion that a conspiracy had been entered into between the Government and the Opposition to burk the Electoral Bill.

Senator WALKER (N.S.W.) said he was of opinion that if there was to be an adjournment it should be for the purpose of visiting sites, but he considered a fortnight not long enough.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: It has been worked out, and there will be abundant time.

Senator WALKER (N.S.W.) said he thought they should resume on March 4.

Senator M'GREGOR (S.A.) said he hoped if there were to be an adjournment it would be for some definite purpose.

Senator MILLEN (N.S.W.) submitted calculations to show that it would be impracticable to visit all the sites within the specified time. If an inspection was necessary, which he did not admit, it would be an impudent fraud on New South Wales to call the proposal an inspection. He felt that the question was one on which the Government had shirked its responsibility.

Senator DOBSON (Tas.): Your own Premier refused to make a recommendation.

Senator MILLEN: Who? Mr. Barton?

Senator DOBSON (Tas.): No; Mr. See.

Senator MILLEN said he was not bound by the inaction of the State Premier. He advocated an adjournment, but for a longer period.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: Ah! we see the milk in the cocoanut.

Senator MILLEN: If the hon gentleman does not mind I'll let some of it out.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: You had better say all you can.

Senator MILLEN said he did not desire to repeat inside things which took place outside.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL said it was time there was an end to these insinuations.

Senator MILLEN said if the Vice-President of the Executive Council took what he had said as an insinuation he would withdraw it.

Senator STYLES (Vic.) said the proposal was not giving New South Wales fair play.

Senator PULSFORD (N.S.W.) said he would support an adjournment, because he thought the Government had no reason for rushing the Electoral Bill on.

Senator CLEMONS (Tas.) said the Government had made a mistake in giving its reasons for the adjournment. He considered that the trip would be an unjustifiable waste of time and money, and the visit would do no good. He declined to accept the view that the visit to the sites was more important than the transaction of other business of the Commonwealth.

Senator HIGGS (Q.) said he thought it very doubtful whether the visit would ever take place unless when the House was sitting.

The POSTMASTER-GENERAL: Now or never with many of us.

Senator HIGGS said that a fortnight's delay in dealing with the Electoral Bill would not be out of place, though it should be passed as early as possible. It seemed to him that a little more time would be necessary. He did not anticipate anything pleasant about the trip, especially as regards the coaching part of it.

Senator O'KEEFE (Tas.) said that it would be better to place on record that the adjournment was for the purpose of enabling sites to be visited. He hoped that the Electoral Bill would be pushed on with.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL said he altogether disagreed with the view that the motion should be made without any specified reason being assigned. He denied there was any inconsistency in the attitude of the Government, and said the Government would push on with the Electoral Bill. He had no doubt that bill could be dealt with early in March. He intended to ask the House for another sitting day until the Electoral bill was disposed of. The selection of the site of the federal capital was one of great importance. When every item of information was exhausted a decision should not be come to without a personal inspection. It was not necessary to make a lengthy examination, but what was necessary was to examine the general features of places. There would not be much coaching outside the trip to Bombala, which would be carried out with reasonable regard to the convenience of the party. He would not promise to go, but the Postmaster-General would be one of the party if members were to go. There would be no other opportunity than the present. There was an unanswerable objection to the request for a week's longer adjournment. The House would have to pass a Supply Bill before the end of the month.

Senator Sir J. H. SYMON'S amendment to omit the reference to the visit was rejected by 19 votes to 7, and his amendment to substitute March 5 for February 26 was rejected by 18 votes to 8.

The original motion was carried by 17 votes to 9.

PUBLIC SERVICE BILL.

The POSTMASTER-GENERAL moved the adoption of the committee's report on the Public Service Bill.

Senator DOBSON (Tas.) said he protested against the too liberal provisions of the bill, and expressed his bitter disappointment that the Federal Government had gone back on the system of Ministerial control.

Senator GLASSEY (Q.) said that if any attempt were made to interfere with the provisions of the minimum wage he should protest. He desired to acknowledge the tact, ability, and forbearance displayed by the Postmaster-General in the conduct of the bill. (Hear, hear.)

Senator Sir J. H. SYMON (S.A.) said he condemned the bill in many respects.

The report was adopted, and the bill read the third time and passed.

ADJOURNMENT.

The House at 3.32 p.m. adjourned until the 26th instant.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MELBOURNE, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7.

The Speaker took the chair at 10.30 a.m.

INSPECTION OF FEDERAL CAPITAL SITES.

Mr. M'LEAN (N.S.W.) asked if it were not possible for members of that chamber to be enabled to visit the various capital sites as members of the Senate proposed to do.

The MINISTER FOR HOME AFFAIRS said everything depended on the progress made with the Committee's business. As the matter stood at present it seemed impossible for the inspection to be made at once.

COMMISSION ON IMPERIAL CONTINGENT ADVANCES.

The PREMIER, in answer to Sir John Quick (Vic.) said that the Government had no intention of charging the Imperial Government 3 per cent. on the money advanced in connection with the South African contingents.

MOTION FOR A RETURN.

A motion by Mr. Tudor (Vic.) for a return showing the number of public servants eligible to receive the minimum wage of £110 under the provisions of the Public Service bill was agreed to.

THE TARIFF.

THE SUGAR DUTIES.

The tariff was further discussed in Committee of Ways and Means.

Sir WILLIAM M'MILLAN (N.S.W.) proposed that they should deal with the question of beet sugar before coming to a decision as to the amount of rebate to be allowed on cane sugar grown by white labour.

The MINISTER FOR CUSTOMS said that the motion to apply the rebate to cane sugar only would settle the question.

Mr. BROWN (N.S.W.) said he did not regard the Government proposal as altogether satisfactory.

Mr. GLYNN (S.A.) said that he thought Mr. Brown's proposition untenable and monstrous. It meant, if agreed to, that at the end of 1907, when all excise stopped, it would be found absolutely impossible for the Commonwealth to obtain any revenue from colonial-grown sugar, since they would be faced with the statement that the bonus virtually granted by the tariff was in exchange for the abolition of kanaka labour traffic. He moved that the words, "Until January 1, 1907," be omitted.

Mr. CONROY (N.S.W.) said he thought the Government was inconsistent in putting on an excise duty with one hand and taking it away with the other.

Mr. REID said he would draw attention to the fact that when last week they were discussing the duties on gluepots and other comparatively small matters members were very eager and attentive, while the galleries were crowded with interested manufacturers. Now, when they were discussing really the great national question, the galleries were empty and members were either absent or inattentive. The real reason for placing this excise duty on sugar was not to produce revenue, but to destroy it. (Hear, hear.) He felt that practically a compact was made at the time of the discussion of the Kanaka Bill to accept these proposals, and he would not therefore be a party to any attempt to disturb this compact. He was, however, quite conscious of the great sacrifices made by the Commonwealth. Queensland had also joined the union without making any stipulation on this subject, and was from that cause alone entitled to most generous consideration. With regard to Mr. Glynn's amendment he would point out to the Government that the words proposed to be excised were merely a source of embarrassment. They had no absolute effect except to set up a contract with the sugar planters which would be pleaded in case of any attempt to abolish this bonus. When the kanaka disappeared, as he would in five years' time, there would be an extra bonus to be given in the shape of a rebate, but if an excise duty were continued growers would still have a very handsome protection of £3 per ton. The promise of the rebate in white-grown sugar must be kept, he considered, but he saw no reason for inserting words that would destroy all possibility of revenue from sugar after the end of 1906. The contract with Queensland planters as to the rebate must be kept, but this was no part of that contract. This was only a duty to which they placed a specific limit. There seemed to be no reason why on this one important item they should try to discount discretion on the part of 1907. If the Parliament of that day thought it necessary to abolish that excise duty the matter was of sufficient importance to justify them in so acting.

Mr. M'LEAN (N.S.W.) said he would support the amendment if it were clearly understood it allowed the rebate to last for all time, although in 1907 competition with black labour would cease.

Mr. EDWARDS (Q.) said that numbers of Asiatics were making their way from the south to the north of Queensland, and their presence there would be even more objectionable than that of kanakas. The benefits proposed under this tariff were not for the benefit of Queensland, but were simply for the advantage of white people. Advice from North Queensland showed that a rebate of 4s per ton on sugar-cane would not be sufficient, but it would enable black labour to be dispensed with.

The MINISTER FOR CUSTOMS said that the Government had hinted that they should be particularly tender to Queensland, which had to bear a heavy burden. When impelled by necessity to impose a tax on Queensland sugar, it was felt that it should be made as light as possible. They felt that the two things—an excise as regards Queensland sugar and the abolition of black labour in that industry—should be treated together. If he could satisfy members that an understanding had been arrived at he felt that it should be adhered to. He claimed that the Premier had clearly put the connection between the two when introducing the Pacific Islands Labourers Bill. He read the Premier's remarks on the subject.

Mr. GLYNN (S.A.): There is not a word there about the abolition of the excise.

The MINISTER FOR CUSTOMS: It was not to be expected that there would be any such reference, but it was clearly set forth immediately afterwards in the tariff proposals.

Mr. GLYNN: Which we are discussing now for the first time.

The MINISTER FOR CUSTOMS: Until this morning he had never heard a word of objection to that proposal.

Mr. J. COOK (N.S.W.): This is the first time we have had a chance.

The MINISTER FOR CUSTOMS: He claimed that the presence of the proposal in the tariff constituted an agreement. He then proceeded to read extracts from his own tariff speech delivered in October last, where he referred to the proposal to abolish the excise.

Sir WILLIAM M'MILLAN (N.S.W.) said they must concur in the expression of opinion that Queensland must be treated generously and sympathetically in this matter. The Ministerial statement when the Pacific Islands Labourers Bill was passed that the whole of the tariff proposals respecting sugar were accepted was incorrect. This was the first opportunity the House had of dealing with the excise in any shape or form. (Hear, hear.) The great danger they were incurring was that if they accepted the Government proposals they would declare the principle of excise to be absolutely wrong. (Hear, hear.) A vote in favour of the Government proposals meant a declaration that the excise duties were immoral, and only imposed in this case on account of special circumstances. (Hear, hear.) The Minister by his statement had virtually advanced that theory. While he had the greatest sympathy possible for Queensland, still it must be remembered that her sub-tropical position practically gave her the Australian market for sugar. (Hear, hear.) That was a great consideration for her, and set off the disadvantages she suffered in other ways by coming into the federation. They had to consider the revenue interests, and, speaking financially, he considered it a fair and legitimate means to obtain revenue from Customs and excise duties, yet the Minister wished them to declare excise wrong and immoral. They had no right to attempt to restrict the operations of the future. They could not constrain future Parliaments to continue the policy they adopted for the present moment.

Mr. SALMON (Vic.) said he did not agree with the view that to allow the works complained of to stand would mean an intimation to the sugar planters that the excise duty was to cease. He felt certain that had it not been for Mr. Philp's personal advocacy of federation Queensland would not have come into the federation.

Mr. EDWARDS (Q.): Quite right.

Mr. FISHER (Q.): No.

Mr. SALMON said it was so, and he thought the most tangible way to show their gratitude for the sacrifices made by Queensland was to give an assurance that the excise would not be raised for at least five years. He thought the only change likely to be made would be in the direction of increase. He thought the retention of a definite date gave the Queensland planters a sense of security.

Mr. SOLOMON (S.A.) said that the Ministerial contention that the inclusion of this proposal in the tariff in any way bound the House to its adoption was ridiculous, seeing it could not be, and had not been, discussed until that morning. He declined to be bound by any agreement alleged to have been made with the leader of the Opposition. Any agreement that had been made was with a certain section of the House, and not with the Opposition.

Mr. M'DONALD (Q.): What section?

Mr. SOLOMON: Undoubtedly the labour party.

Mr. M'DONALD: That is not correct.

Mr. SOLOMON said it had been stated openly elsewhere by labour leaders. He had raised this question of excise immediately after the delivery of the Maitland speech. He denied there had been any compact on this question, and he refused to be bound by any such alleged compact.

Mr. MAUGER (Vic.): Oh! Let us get on with the tariff.

Mr. SOLOMON said Mr. Mauger had made more speeches and interjections on the tariff than all the Opposition put together. (Laughter.) They must not attempt to tie the hands of any future Parliament.

Mr. KENNEDY (Vic.): You cannot do that.

Mr. SOLOMON: Certainly not, and therefore he objected to this attempt to do it by fixing a date. He would leave Mr. Kennedy and Mr. Salmon to reconcile their conflicting statements. A differential duty of £3 should be sufficient protection for sugar growers. He had heard a good many references to the protection given to South Australian salt, but for his part he would be willing to let salt take its chance if the same thing were done with sugar. (Hear, hear.) The Commonwealth, it seemed to him, would have to pay very heavily for this little arrangement with Queensland.

Mr. SALMON (Vic.): You would let us be swamped with cheap Dutch sugar grown by labour at 2s 10s weekly.

Mr. SOLOMON said that that was incorrect. The wages were low, about 1s per day, but it should be remembered that these labourers were well fed, well clothed, and provided with medical attendance. Their lot was happier and they were more contented than many of the farmers in the back blocks of Australia. He thought the difference between an excise duty of £3 per ton and a customs duty of £6 per ton added to the natural protection would be quite sufficient, and there was no necessity for any rebate. In this debate the Government had shown no consideration for the Northern Territory, but only for Northern Queensland.

Mr. CONROY (N.S.W.) said he denied that according to the Ministerial figures the burden of the tax would fall on Queensland.

Mr. THOMSON (N.S.W.) said that the Government proposal not only referred to cane sugar, but also to beet sugar, which, if the motion were carried, would be free of all excise duty after 1906, and would thus be favoured to the extent of £10 per ton. He thought they were giving all they had agreed to do in allowing the excise, but there was no obligation to give this additional bonus by abolishing excise at the end of 1906. He wished to know when this excise came into force if it were to be allowed on all sugar.

The MINISTER FOR CUSTOMS: From October 8, 1901, on all sugar in bond.

Mr. THOMSON said that was an extraordinary statement, and he wished to know if the same course were to be taken with regard to spirits and tobacco. An excise duty was supposed to take effect at the factory door, yet it would seem that sugar, although exported in bond to other States, would be allowed. He defied the Minister to show any precedent for such an action.

Mr. Glynn's amendment was negatived by 33 votes to 14.

Mr. FISHER (Q.) said he desired to move that the rebate on sugar cane grown by white labour be increased to 5s instead of 4s.

Progress was then reported.

ADJOURNMENT.

The PREMIER, in moving the adjournment of the House until Tuesday, said that the Government was induced to adjourn early, and to refrain from asking members to meet on Monday on account of the great amount of work done, and he hoped that this would continue.

Mr. REID said that the reason for progress being made was an unworthy one, since it came about through the keen competition of manufacturers and the utter disregard of consumers, whose interests had been ruthlessly sacrificed. He could, however, congratulate the Government on having of late adopted a fairer tone to the various sections of the House.

Mr. WATSON (N.S.W.) drew attention to the fact that certain Hindoos had been admitted after passing tests in English prescribed by the authorities.

The PREMIER: Two only.

Mr. WATSON said he did not care about the number, but he thought the admission of educated Hindoos was contrary to the wish of the House.

Mr. CONROY (N.S.W.) said that 31 Italians had been excluded under the same Act which admitted these Hindoos. He thought, therefore, the administration of the Act was different from the policy that had been agreed to.

The PREMIER said the Customs Department was administering the Act in the spirit of what was intended when the Act was passed, and the mere fact of two Hindoos having been able to pass the prescribed tests was no reason for assuming that the Act had failed. As regarded insane and other objectionable persons captains of vessels must take the responsibility. It would be absurd to expect the Commonwealth to appoint agents in every part of the world. If he found any failure in administration he would ask the Minister for Customs to make a change of officers.

The House adjourned at 4 p.m. until Tuesday next at 2.30 p.m.

TOUR OF THE MINISTER FOR WORKS.

WELCOME AT COOMA.

MOUNT KOSCIUSKO.

PROPOSED RAILWAY CONNECTION.

REMARKS BY THE MINISTER.

COOMA, Friday.

Mr. O'Sullivan, Minister for Works, accompanied by the Hon. A. H. Barlow, M.L.C., Queensland (formerly Minister for Lands), Messrs. John Norton and Hollis, Ms.L.A., Mr. H. J. Thadden, and Mr. C. H. Kerry, arrived by this morning's train en route for Mount Kosciusko. They were welcomed at the station by the Mayor (Mr. J. H. Montague) and the aldermen.

After breakfast Mr. O'Sullivan received a deputation representing the Cooma Municipal Council at the Cooma Hotel. The deputation was introduced by Mr. G. T. C. Miller, M.L.A. The Mayor stated they had only two requests to make. The first was the fulfilment of the promise made two years ago by the Minister to remove the unsightly rocks in front of the public buildings in Vale-street. Portion of this mass of rocks was subsequently removed, but a further grant was now desired to complete the work. The second request was that a new bridge be erected over Back Creek in Sharp-street, to replace the old bridge, which is too narrow for the present traffic. Aldermen Amess and Shannon also spoke, the latter asking the Minister to make a first-class road to Mount Kosciusko, as it would be too much to expect a railway. Mr. Miller said he was surprised at Mr. Shannon's remarks, as it was necessary to construct a line to Mount Kosciusko, which was the only district in New South Wales suitable for a sanatorium.

Mr. O'Sullivan said he had listened with interest to the remarks of the speakers. A man sometimes was the victim of his environment, as when he promised to remove the rocks he did not fix a date by which they would be removed—(laughter)—but it would be his duty next financial year to complete the work. These public buildings faced a street containing a mass of rocks, and if only to improve the buildings it would be a justifiable expenditure to completely remove the rocks. He was sure the £150 already spent was well laid out. With regard to the bridge, he would ask Mr. Fraser, road superintendent, to report, and would if necessary be glad to assist the council, because the bridge being on a public road would be used by people outside as well as inside the borough. He did not altogether agree with the alderman's suggestion to make a first-class road to Mount Kosciusko, as he favoured the construction of a railway road. Travelling was tedious, and not one-hundredth part of the people would travel by road as by railway. He felt sure tens of thousands of people would come yearly to Mount Kosciusko if a railway was constructed. It might also become a gathering ground for political and philanthropic movements, or for a scientific movement such as that recently held in Tasmania. A fair-sized town could be built there very rapidly. He considered it essential to construct a railway, and the object of this visit was to seize the details, for by visiting he could see the resources and obtain a far better practical idea than by receiving reports, maps, and plans of the best officers of the department. A road would not do anything like a railway to bring this marvellous region before the public. He would like to see a sanatorium established there; also a great national park, like the Yellowstone National Park in America; and he would persist in his idea regarding the railway if it could be carried out within the bounds of reason. He intended to construct two lines before leaving office, and Mr. Miller could tell them that he had a lease for 20 years. (Laughter.) These lines were Cooma to Kosciusko, and Nowra to Jervis Bay, which he hoped would be a Southampton as passengers by the boats could join or leave the ship there, and thus avoid much sea-sickness. This line to Jervis Bay would help to make settlements on the coast. It had been pointed out that a railway to Kosciusko would not be used in the winter months, but he was sure the attractions would not end with the summer, for the magnificent sights, snow ski races, and skating on the ice would attract many people in winter. If necessary a snow plough could be used on the train as in America. Kosciusko would be the most popular resort in Australia, for the sea-sickness experienced in travelling to New Zealand and Tasmania would be avoided. He was convinced the line would be successful and that it would pay, for with cheap and speedy means of access to Kosciusko there would be such a crush of visitors as there was at present on the journey to Tasmania and New Zealand. Another argument in favour of the line was the free, bracing atmosphere. A wonderful sanatorium for consumptives could be established. He would see that the road superintendent was well supplied with funds to keep the present road to Mount Kosciusko in good order. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Miller thanked the Minister on behalf of the council for his promises, and suggested that the local work be done in winter, when the unemployed would be assisted.

Mr. O'Sullivan stated the money would be available after June 30.

The Mayor also thanked the Minister for his courtesy and promises.

In proposing the toast of "The Mayor and Aldermen," Mr. O'Sullivan said he was always pleased to mix up with Mayors and municipal bodies for two reasons; firstly, by historic renown the genesis of municipal Government came from Scandinavia, where sagacious old greybeards bit by bit won liberties for the people. The second reason was public utility. Aldermen received no fees for benefiting their fellow men, although occasionally they might benefit themselves by placing a lamp post, or kerbing and guttering, near their own door. He thanked them for the kind welcome.

The Mayor responded, and in doing so stated the municipality of Cooma was in a better position than any municipality of the State.

The party left at noon in a drag for Mount Kosciusko. They expect to return on Monday.

Mr. Barlow, who is proceeding to Bombala, said in the course of a private interview that Queenslanders hoped Bombala would be the federal capital; and, although he was not a federal member, he would do what he could for Bombala when in Melbourne.

BERRIDALE, Friday.

The Minister for Works and party passed through Berridale to-day en route to Mount Kosciusko. He expressed the opinion that he would be justified in asking the Cabinet next year to consider a proposal for a railway to Mount Kosciusko.

JINDABYNE, Friday.

The Minister for Works and party arrived here this evening on their way to Mount Kosciusko, after a pleasant drive from Cooma. Mr. O'Sullivan has carefully noted the splendid grazing country en route, and speaks in admiration of the picturesque mountain and river scenery in this neighbourhood.

What is perhaps the most wonderful clock ever made is now working at Schenectady. It was made by a watchmaker named J. Steiner, and has never been wound up. It was started some months ago by Steiner giving the pendulum a swing, and will continue to go, says he, until "the magnets lose their magnetism." The works consist of only three wheels. The clock itself is in the form of a pendulum, weighing 40lb. The pendulum rods are made of different kinds of metal to allow compensation in contraction and expansion. It is said that the clock is not affected by jar or vibration, and keeps perfect time, the swing of the pendulum being regulated to beat seconds.

SOCIAL.

Rear-Admiral Sir H. Rawson, the newly-appointed State Governor of New South Wales, will, it is stated, arrive in Sydney at the beginning of June, and will be accompanied by Lady Rawson and one of her daughters. Cranbrook, the State Government House at Rose Bay, is being furnished and decorated and made ready for the reception of Sir H. and Lady Rawson.

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor (Sir Frederick Darley) continues to make good progress towards recovery, and is now allowed to see a few visitors.

Rear-Admiral Beaumont left Tasmania in the flagship last week for Port Lincoln, and after a short stay in South Australia will proceed to New Zealand. Lady Beaumont, accompanied by Miss Rawson, returned to Sydney from Hobart at the beginning of the week.

It is announced that her Majesty Queen Alexandra has been pleased to confer upon Lady Halle the title of "Violinist to the Queen." The distinguished artiste is to be congratulated upon this signal mark of Royal favour. She always found a warm admirer and kind friend in the Queen when Princess of Wales, who for many years was an almost regular attendant at the recitals given at St. James's Hall, London.

Major-General Sir Edward Hutton and Lady Hutton arrived in Sydney on Wednesday morning and received a most hearty welcome from their numerous friends. During their short visit here they are staying at the Australia Hotel, where Lady Hutton received many visitors on Wednesday afternoon.

Last Thursday evening Colonel Roberts, C.M.G., and Mrs. Roberts gave a dinner party at their residence, Greenoaks, Darling Point, in honour of Major-General Sir Edward and Lady Hutton. The guests also included Major-General and Mrs. French, Brigadier-General and Mrs. Finn, Lieutenant-Colonel Lyster, Colonel Williams, Major and Mrs. T. Knox, Captain Dangar, Miss Duff, and the Misses Roberts. The table was artistically decorated with red and yellow flowers, and red and green ribbons, General Hutton's colours.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Macarthur-Onslow gave a brilliant "at home" at the Australia Hotel last night, and invited about 100 guests "to meet Sir Edward and Lady Hutton." Mrs. Onslow received her friends in the large drawing-room of the Australia, which was decorated with palms, flowers, and greenery, and wore a handsome dress of pale yellow brocade, the upper skirt vandyked and edged with tiny yellow roses, and falling over three flounces of chiffon; the bodice was trimmed with guipure and gold spangled net sleeves, and finished with a corsage spray of yellow roses and diamond ornaments. Lady Hutton, who was looking remarkably well, wore a beautiful dress of white satin, the skirt being richly trimmed with guipure and lace applique, with an apron front of striped white chiffon edged with lace; the bodice was effectively trimmed with beautiful lace and gold spangles, with bunches of violets and roses on the left shoulder. She also wore a magnificent necklet and pendant of diamonds and other diamond ornaments. Lady Beaumont wore a black and gold figured silk, with a lovely fichu of point lace and long hanging frills of the same on the sleeves, pearl and diamond ornaments. Among the guests were Major-General French and Mrs. French, Mrs. Barton, Miss Duff, Miss Rawson, Brigadier-General Finn, Lieutenant-Colonel Lyster, Major and Mrs. T. Knox, Colonel Douglas Mackenzie and Miss Mackenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Bayly Macarthur, Mrs. P. H. Osborne and Miss P. Osborne, Captain Watt, Mrs. and Miss Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Clibborn, Major and Mrs. Antill, Mr. Lassetter, Mrs. A. Lassetter, Mrs. A. H. Macarthur, Miss Pearl King, Mr. and Mrs. J. Alison, Miss Dangar, Captain Dangar, Miss Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lindley, Mr. J. Osborne, Captain Lambert, Mr. and Miss Von Arnheim, Miss Taylor, Mr. and Miss Wegall, Mr. Hall Thompson, Mr. Wilfred Jones, Mr. S. King, and a large number of military officers, all of whom were in uniform, and came in after the regimental dinner given to Major-General Sir Edward Hutton by the officers of the Mounted Rifles. Refreshments were served at the further end of the drawing-room, and a string band played a bright selection of music during the evening.

The gymnasium at the Victoria Barracks presented quite a gay appearance on Thursday afternoon, being prettily decorated with flowers, greenery, and flags, in honour of Sir Edward and Lady Hutton, who were present by invitation from members of the Soldiers' Wives' League, and were entertained by them at afternoon tea. Lady Hutton, who was accompanied by Miss Duff, wore a biscuit-coloured alpaca, the skirt tucked and trimmed with cream insertion, the bodice trimmed with lace, and a black toque with cream roses and green leaves. Upon her arrival she was presented with a beautiful shower bouquet of pink roses, tied with pale blue ribbons, on which was inscribed "Welcome to Lady Hutton from the Soldiers' Wives' League." About 100 visitors were present, amongst whom were Mrs. Finn, Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Douglas Mackenzie, Mrs. Savage, Mrs. Bridges, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Boam, Mrs. Cecil Lamb, Mrs. Lewis Jenkins, Mrs. H. P. Airey, Miss Murray, Mrs. Selby, Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Gillett, Mrs. M'Carthy, Mrs. Green, and a number of military officers. Apologies were received from Mrs. P. Owen, Mrs. Bartlett, Mrs. Power, Mrs. Legge, Mrs. Luscombe, and Mrs. Stanley Ryrie, all of whom were unavoidably absent. General Hutton afterwards held a reception in the officers' messroom, Victoria Barracks, which was largely attended.

The marriage of Mr. Leslie Nicholl Walford and Miss Dollie Hordern, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hordern, of Retford Hall, Darling Point, which took place last Wednesday afternoon at St. Mark's, Darling Point, has already been fully noticed in our columns during the week. As both the bride and bridegroom and their parents are well known in Sydney the wedding created a great amount of interest. Retford Hall, where Mr. and Mrs. Hordern hospitably entertained a large number of guests, presented a very gay scene during the afternoon. Amongst the numerous wedding presents were a diamond necklace and star, which, with numerous rings, were from the establishment of Messrs. Fairfax and Roberts.

The marriage of Mr. Stuart Osborne, third son of Mr. George Osborne, of Foxlow, Bungendore, New South Wales, with Miss Mabel Watson, second daughter of the Hon. James Watson, M.L.C., Glanworth, Darling Point, took place last Thursday afternoon, at St. Mark's Church, Darling Point, in the presence of a large number of guests and spectators. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Thomas Watson (uncle of the bride), assisted by the Rev. Willoughby Flower. The bride was given away by her father, and wore a handsome dress of white satin trimmed with point lace, and a lace veil arranged over a wreath of orange blossoms, and carried a beautiful shower bouquet. She was attended by three bridesmaids, the Misses Lily and Muriel Watson (sisters of the bride) and Miss Kathleen Osborne (sister of the bridegroom). They were dressed alike in white mousseline-de-soie, trimmed with lace and insertion; white silk hats, trimmed with green; and each carried a bouquet of grass and fern, tied with green ribbons. Mr. D'Arcy Osborne was best man, and Master Osborne Wilkinson (nephew of the bridegroom) acted as page. After the ceremony a reception was held at Glanworth by Mr. and Miss Watson, and the bride and bridegroom received the congratulations of their many friends. Later in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Osborne left for their honeymoon, the bride's going-away dress being of green linen, with a tuscan straw hat trimmed with green roses. Many valuable and handsome presents were received.

Despite the great heat on Thursday afternoon there was a large and fashionable gathering of visitors to watch a cricket match between the members of the Australian Club and Union Club cricket teams. Amongst those present were Mrs. Close and Miss Bowyer, Mrs. and Miss Clibborn, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Tooth, Miss Arnheim, Miss Edith Walker, Mrs. and the Misses Griffiths, Mrs. W. Mort and Miss Mort, the Misses Dangar, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Burdekin, Mrs. A. H. Macarthur, the Misses Stephen, Miss Innes, Miss Kelly, Mrs. Hope Osborne, Mr. and Mrs Norman Alston, Mrs. Brady, Mrs. Holdship, Miss Gore, Captain Hixson, Mr. E. Mort, Mr. Samson, Mr. J. Osborne, Mr. Atkinson, Mr. F. Osborne, Mr. A. Dangar, Mr. Lingen, Mr. Merewether, Mr. Norman Dangar, Mr. H. Stephen, and Mr. C. Ladley. Afternoon tea, ices, and light refreshments were served in a large marquee.

A wedding was celebrated on January 27 at St. John's Church, Balmain, by the Rev. W. J. Cakebread, who solemnised the marriage between Mr. Robert N. Simpson, of North Sydney, and Miss Edith O'Hara, of Rozelle. The bride was dressed in white silk, with a wreath and veil, and the bridesmaids were also becomingly dressed. The ceremony at the church being concluded, an adjournment was made to Bayview, Cambridge-street, Rozelle, where the wedding breakfast was served on the lawn.

At St. Paul's Church of England, Redfern, on Wednesday, January 1, Miss Maud Watts, youngest daughter of Mr. James A. Watts, North Richmond, was married to Mr. C. H. Ludlam, second son of the late Mr. Thomas Ludlam, Bradford, Yorkshire. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Canon F. B. Boyce. The bride was given away by her father, and wore white Swiss muslin, trimmed with insertion and valenciennes lace, a Russian bodice, with transparent yoke and collar finished with rosettes of satin and orange blossoms, also a wreath and veil. She carried a shower bouquet, and wore a diamond bangle given by the bridegroom. Miss F. E. Ludlam, as bridesmaid, was prettily dressed in grey silk voile, and wore a cable bangle, the gift of the bridegroom. Mr. H. Garthside acted as groomsman. After the ceremony the party proceeded to the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. T. F. Healey, Elizabeth-street, where the breakfast was served. Later in the afternoon the bride and bridegroom left for Bundanoon, where the honeymoon was spent. The bride's travelling dress was a fawn Eton coat and skirt, with hat to match. Many handsome presents were received, including one from the bridegroom's brother officers of the Water and Sewerage Department, which was presented by the assessor, Mr. T. J. Roseby.

A wedding was celebrated at Manly on January 18, when Mr. Charles Anderson, M.A., B.Sc., was married to Miss Elsie Helen Robertson, youngest daughter of Mrs. Throsby Robertson, of Kellett-street, Darlinghurst. The Rev. T. Heyden performed the ceremony. The bride wore a dress of crepe de chene, handsomely trimmed with fine Limerick lace. The bridesmaids were the Misses Ena and Ida Colley, nieces of the bride, and were dressed in white Indian muslin and lace, and picture hats with ostrich feathers. After partaking of the breakfast, which was served at Perroda, and receiving the customary congratulations from their many friends, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson left for the Jenolan Caves. The bride's travelling dress was of blue voile, trimmed with twine-coloured lace, and a white hat. The wedding presents were numerous and costly.

A quiet wedding took place on Wednesday January 8, at St. Barnabas' Church, Glebe, when Miss Amy Geddes, second daughter of Mr. R. J. Geddes, Lochiel, Woollahra, was married to Mr. Reginald Hall Couldery, of Cedar Grove, Queensland. The Rev. Norman Jenkyn officiated. The church was decorated by friends of the bride with an arch and a large wedding bell, with the initials of the bride and bridegroom. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore white silk with transparent yoke and sleeves of embossed chiffon, and orange blossoms and the customary wreath and veil. She also carried a shower bouquet and wore a handsome brooch and opal ring, gifts of the bridegroom. She was attended by three bridesmaids—Miss Beard and Miss Crockett, who were in white book muslin trimmed with lace and insertion, and large white hats trimmed with chiffon and pink flowers, and who also carried bouquets and wore gold brooches and earrings, gifts of the bridegroom; and Miss Ethel Geddes, sister of the bride, who wore white, with a silk hat, and bouquet and gold bracelet. Mr. Victor Couldery acted as best man, and Mr. Henry Geddes as groomsman. After the ceremony a reception was held by Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Geddes, at their residence, Lochiel, about 50 guests being present. Later Mr. and Mrs. R. Couldery left for Katoomba. The bride's going-away dress was grey silk voile, trimmed with cream chiffon and lace, and a hat to match. The presents were costly and numerous.

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On January 8 at St. Barnabas' Church, George-street West, Mr. Clifford Aubrey (Ford) Pidcock, the only son of Mr. W. H. Pidcock and grandson of Mr. William Pidcock, of Bay View, Forest Lodge, was married to Miss Letitia Lavater Johnson, only daughter of Mr. C. E. Johnson, of Cliff Terrace, Forest Lodge. The bride was dressed in white, and the bridegroom was supported by Mr. William Sheehy as best man. The officiating minister was the Rev. W. A. Charlton. The wedding festivities were of a quiet nature, and the young couple received an enthusiastic send-off from the friends assembled at the residence of the bride's parents.

The marriage of Mr. Walter Sherwood Kebby, youngest son of the late Mr. C. Kebby, of Eden, and Miss Florence Flower, third daughter of Mr. J. W. C. Flower, of Watson's Bay, took place at St. Peter's Church, Watson's Bay, on December 28. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. E. C. Stiles, B.A. The church was filled with guests and spectators, and the floral decorations included a wedding bell of white flowers with the initials of the bride and bridegroom attached. The bride was dressed in white, and wore the customary wreath and veil. She carried a shower bouquet and wore a gold bangle, gifts of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were Miss Grace Flower and Miss Edith Riley, who were dressed in white muslin over buttercup. They carried bouquets and wore gold brooches, gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. Harold K. Riley was best man. After the ceremony the wedding party left the church to the strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," and the guests adjourned to Hawthorne, where they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Flower, and the bride and bridegroom received the congratulations of their many friends. Later in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kebby left for the Blue Mountains. The presents were numerous and costly.

The marriage of Mr. Yelverton George Lindeman, eldest son of Captain George Lindeman, R.N., of Knowle, Albert-street, Woollahra, with Miss Mildred Dight, second daughter of the late Mr. R. R. Dight, of Carroll, Liverpool Plains, and Mrs. Dight, Murnton, Darling Point, took place at the Woollahra Presbyterian Church, Ocean-street, on Wednesday, February 5. The Rev. John Walker performed the ceremony, and the church was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The bride's dress was of ivory duchesse satin, the bodice having a berthe of duchesse point lace, with transparent yoke and elbow sleeves and sprays of orange blossom; the skirt was trimmed with flounces of accordeon-pleated chiffon; her tulle veil was fastened with a pearl star (the gift of her elder brother), and arranged over a wreath of orange blossom. She carried a shower bouquet of tiger lilies, stephanotis, carnations, and roses, which, with a diamond and ruby ring, was presented by the bridegroom. The bride was given away by her elder brother, Mr. Alfred R. Dight. The bridesmaids were the Misses Lotty and Roberta Dight (sisters of the bride) and Miss Muriel Lindeman (sister of the bridegroom). Their dresses were of white Indian lawn over white glace silk, trimmed with Valenciennes lace, and had transparent yokes and elbow sleeves, and fichus finished with choux of white tulle. The skirts were flounced and trimmed with vandykes of insertion. Their picture hats of burnt straw were trimmed with pink crepe de chine and feathers. They carried bouquets of pink tiger lilies and carnations, tied with pink ribbons, presented with gold bangles by the bridegroom. Mr. Leslie Guden acted as best man. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's mother, Murnton, Darling Point. Later in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Lindeman left for their honeymoon, the bride's going-away dress being of white lawn, trimmed with lace and insertion, and a hat of palest green crinoline straw, trimmed with shaded pink convolvulus.

At the Presbyterian Church, Ebley-street, Waverley, a quiet wedding took place on Tuesday, February 4, when Miss Mary (Minnie) Tozer Marcus, second daughter of Mr. Henry Marcus, 47 Mill Hill-road, Waverley, was married to Mr. John Thomas Aird, eldest son of Mr. James Aird, of Gatcombe Head, Gladstone, Queensland. The Rev. J. D. Laurier officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore white silk trimmed with Valenciennes lace and insertion, a tucked Russian blouse and sailor collar, and finished with sprays of orange blossom, also a wreath of orange blossom and a veil. She carried a shower bouquet and wore a gold muff chain, the gift of the bridegroom. Miss Bessy Marcus, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and was dressed in striped electric-blue satin cloth trimmed with guipure insertion and bebe ribbon, and a black chiffon toque with black feathers and buckles. Her shower bouquet and cable bangle were the gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. William Aird, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man. After the ceremony the party proceeded to the residence of the bride's parents, where the breakfast was served. Later in the afternoon the bride and bridegroom left by train for Mount Victoria for their honeymoon, the bride travelling in a navy-blue coat and skirt and black chiffon toque. Many handsome and useful presents were received.

The marriage of Mr. S. Crain, of the Bank of New South Wales, and Miss Ellen Edith (Edie) Hill, late of Armidale, took place at St. James' Church, Sydney, on December 26, the Rev. W. I. Carr-Smith officiating. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Roland T. Hill, and wore a dress of cream silk voile, richly trimmed with Maltese lace and embossed chiffon and transparent yoke and sleeves. She wore the customary wreath and veil, and carried a beautiful shower bouquet, which, with a gold bamboo bracelet, was the gift of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were four in number—Miss Eva Lee acting as principal, the Misses Eva and Lily Hill (sisters of the bride), and Miss Ruby Crain, niece of the bridegroom. The former was dressed in white Swiss muslin relieved with pale blue, and a chiffon hat trimmed with pink roses; the latter were all dressed in cream with chiffon hats, and carried bouquets of pink roses, and wore gold brooches, gifts of the bridegroom. Mr. E. E. Wicks, of the Bank of New South Wales, acted as best man. After the ceremony the party drove to the Hotel Metropole, where the wedding breakfast was served, only relatives and a few friends being present. Mr. and Mrs. Crain left by the evening train for the Blue Mountains, where the honeymoon was spent. The bride's travelling dress was a fawn cloth coat and skirt with cream chiffon vest, and burnt straw hat trimmed with deep red roses and black velvet ribbon. Some beautiful presents were received.

N.S.W. NATURALISTS' CLUB.

The monthly meeting of the club was held in the board-room, Vickery's-chambers, 82 Pitt-street, on Monday evening last. The chair was occupied by the president, Mr. A. H. Lucas, M.A., B.Sc. One new member was elected and six were proposed for election. Mr. H. L. Kesteven was appointed to the position of assistant honorary secretary, rendered vacant by the resignation of Mr. D. G. Stead. Mr. T. Steel was appointed a delegate from the club to the British Association for the Advancement of Science. A short account of the excursion of the previous Saturday to Bondi was given. Mr. Whitelegge communicated to the club short notes on aboriginal "workshops." Some few years ago he discovered a few flint flakes on the sand dunes at Maroubra. On investigation he found what proved to be an aboriginal "workshop," where stone implements of many kinds had been manufactured. Other localities, such as Curl Curl, Dee Why, Bondi, Botany, and Cronulla, were found to contain many workshops. The appearance of the patches of chips were such as to convey the idea that the native who made them had only just left the ground, each patch consisting of a circle of flakes about a yard in diameter, the stone being of one kind and colour. Of these, Bondi proved to be the most extensive, there being no less than four well-marked areas upon which the former natives manufactured their stone tools wherewith they procured their food. The main camp at Bondi was about 2 acres in extent. The whole of this area was thickly covered with chips of stones, embracing flint, chert, quartz, basalt, &c. Some of these stones must have been brought from a distance of over 50 miles. Among the implements found were easily recognisable seven different types of implements. Mr. Whitelegge exhibited about a thousand specimens and also drawings. The other exhibits were a small collection of rare shells by Miss L. Parkes and ironstone stalactites by Mr. H. S. Mort.

ROYAL MINT.

ABSTRACT OF TRANSACTIONS.

Particulars.	January, 1902.
Weight of gold received for coinage—	Ounces, fine.
New South Wales	28,993·41
Queensland	43,264·29
New Zealand	12,751·72
Victoria	25·94
South Australia	1,721·83
Tasmania	1,363·11
Western Australia	238·68
Other countries	1,000·54
New Guinea	2,033·41
Total	91,695·93
Gross value of the above (including silver)	£390,046 13 9
Gold coin and gold bullion issued—	
Coin: Sovereigns	£168,000 0 0
Coin: Half-sovereigns	—
Bullion	—
Total	£168,000 0 0
Silver bullion issued	—
New silver coin issued	400 0 0
New bronze coin issued	—
Worn silver coin withdrawn from circulation	£1,196 18 9

This week's "Sydney Mail" contains illustrations of some of the prizewinners in the cattle sections of the recent Smithfield (England) Show.—Advt.

THE LICENSING LAW.

REQUESTS FOR APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS.

THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL ON MAGISTRATES.

Mr. R. W. W. M'Coy, M.L.A., introduced a deputation to the Attorney-General yesterday from the New South Wales Alliance with reference to matters connected with the administration of the licensing law. There were present the Revs. Dr. Clouston, W. G. Taylor, J. G. Southby, W. Wall, T. Davies, E. Masterman, R. East, R. S. Paterson, E. Price, J. Buchan, M.A., G. T. Walden, and F. Colwell, Mr. Archibald Campbell, M.L.A., Messrs. G. D. Clark, J. H. Wise, A. Gow, W. B. Wragge, T. P. Reeve, G. W. Logan, A. Kitchen, C. Lemaire, W. J. Wiseman, G. E. Antill, A. G. Hone, J. C. Jones, W. Russell, F. K. Olliver, W. Richardson, and Mesdames J. Pottie, C. E. Clark, C. Lemaire, J. Lusby, G. D. Clark, E. Catts, D. Walker, R. Atkins, Firth, and Misses Marwick and Catts. Apologies were received from the Rev. Canon Boyce, president of the alliance, Rev. R. Dey, and Mr. J. L. Fegan, M.L.A.

Mr. M'Coy, in introducing the deputation, said its object was to bring before the Attorney-General certain matters connected with the granting of licenses at Wollongong, and also in connection with a house in the city, and to ask that he would instruct the police to institute appeals against the decisions of the Licensing Benches with regard to those matters. With regard, however, to them, the deputation felt aggrieved at the decisions of the Licensing Benches, and wished that the matters should be taken to a higher tribunal. It was also intended to ask that the matter of altering the law with respect to the local option law be taken in hand.

The Attorney-General: I shall express no opinion on the subject of the local option law. That is a matter for Mr. See as Prime Minister, and he should be approached with reference to it. I am not the Minister to deal with matters of policy.

The Rev. Dr. Clouston said he was sorry that Canon Boyce, as president of the alliance, was not present to speak with reference to a decision of the Metropolitan Licensing Bench granting an extension of the license to Tattersall's hotel, as he had the matter, so to speak, at his finger ends. The deputation had been exceedingly concerned at the proposed extension of the license to Tattersall's Hotel from Pitt-street to George-street, and they contended that a miscarriage of the law had occurred, and that the magistrates had in some way or other made a mistake as to their powers when they granted the extension of the license. The deputation contended that this was contrary to the law. They contended that if the granting of the license were legal, one holder of a license would be able to carry on two hotels or drinking bars under the same license. He asked that the case should be again considered. The deputation contended that when the matter was brought before the Bench sufficient time was not given to enter protests, therefore, they asked that such machinery should be set in motion as would enable the police and others to voice their sentiments on that subject.

Mr. G. D. Clark said the granting of this license came to the deputation as a matter of surprise. They were of opinion that when an application for an extension of a license was made opportunity should be given to the business people in the vicinity and the public to be heard in opposition to it. He could not conceive under which section of the Licensing Act the magistrates acted when they granted this application. The proprietor of this hotel held a license for a house in Pitt-street, but he wished now to extend it through to George-street, and he contended that the right to occupy a house in George-street as well was absolutely opposed to the spirit of the Act, which declared that no man should hold more than one license. The two premises were connected only with each other by a subterranean passage, and if the reading of the law were correct as laid down by the Licensing Bench there was nothing to prevent the holder of that license connecting his premises in Pitt-street by a subterranean passage with premises in Market and Park streets, and establishing bars fronting those thoroughfares, all under the one license. The police had objected to this license—they were therefore aggrieved parties—and the deputation held that the Minister for Justice was the proper person to set the police in motion with reference to this matter. He complained of the manner in which the business of the licensing law was conducted in the courts, more particularly of late. Over and over again business men had left their establishments and lost their time to attend the Licensing Courts, only to find after all that licenses were granted in opposition to them. He also complained that it was improper for a Minister of the Crown to invade the Licensing Courts and appear against the police, intimidating the magistrates into granting licenses. (Hear, hear.)

The Rev. Thomas Davies, of Wollongong, said that, with regard to the Wollongong case, the facts were that in April, 1900, a man made application for a conditional license for a house to be erected. He had the help of a Sydney solicitor, but the application was opposed, and after the hearing the Bench refused the application. The solicitor for the applicant asked the Bench to state the reasons for the refusal, and the chairman of the Bench said, "We refuse this application now because we do not think that there is any necessity for a superior hotel, and we consider this particular site most unsuitable for the purpose." Six months afterwards the application was renewed; a Minister of the Crown appeared in the court. He did not wish to say one word against the Bench——

The Attorney-General: Who are the gentlemen against whom you bring this serious charge of malversation of justice?

Mr. Davies: I do not wish to put it in that way.

The Attorney-General: But your words convey that impression, and if a charge is made I desire you to give me the names of the gentlemen in order that I may have inquiries made.

Mr. Davies: I do not wish to make a charge.

The Attorney-General: If a statement is made that a Judge, with a desire to curry favour with a Minister of the Crown, gives a decision in his favour that man should be dismissed; and if you believe that—and your language implies that you do—it is your duty to name the magistrate against whom you make that charge, and I will hold an inquiry. Otherwise, you should withdraw it.

Mr. Davies: I wish to withdraw any charge. I am speaking of the facts as they are.

The Attorney-General: I must ask you to do one thing or the other—to withdraw the charge or substantiate it.

Mr. Davies said he was quite prepared to withdraw any charge, and simply to state that six months later the same application was renewed—the same position, the same locality, and so on—and the license was granted.

The Attorney-General: And the same evidence? You know it was not.

Mr. Davies: He would simply say that six months after the refusal of the first application a license was granted for the same position, on the same corner, although the Bench had said that the position was most unsuitable. The conditional license was not taken advantage of, and nine months afterwards the applicant appeared in court and asked for an extension of time, giving certain reasons why this should be granted him. The Bench held that they had no jurisdiction just then, as the term for which the license was granted had not expired. Three months afterwards the application was renewed, and was again opposed. Several grounds of opposition were advanced, and 10 witnesses were called, who testified to the fact that the place was unsuitable for a house. A petition bearing the signatures of 400 residents was also presented against the granting of the license. The only local evidence on the other side was that of the sergeant of police, who said that he thought a high-class house was necessary. However, the license was granted; and he contended that it was against the weight of evidence, and asked whether there was any possibility of taking it to the District Court. Personally, he had not £50 to put down for the purposes of an appeal, but he would like the Attorney-General as Minister for Justice to set the law in motion in order that an appeal might be instituted against the decision of the Bench.

Mr. Archibald Campbell, M.L.A., also spoke with reference to the Wollongong case.

Mr. Wise, Attorney-General, in reply, said that he would convey to Mr. See what had been said respecting an alteration of the licensing law. Respecting the two matters to which the deputation had chiefly addressed him he would take the Wollongong case first, but before dealing with the cases separately he would remind the deputation that he had not then to do with an alteration of the Licensing Act—he had to administer the law as he found it. Now with regard to the Wollongong licensing bench he had no reason to believe that the members of it were otherwise than efficient, honest, conscientious men. If anyone had a suspicion against them it was his duty to inform him as Ministerial head of the department, so that he might inquire into it. To make innuendos without formulating charges showed a want of courage. However, the deputation asked him to set the law in motion at the expense of the taxpayers, when Parliament had provided an ordinary course to be taken by any person who felt aggrieved at a decision of the Court. If he did as he was asked there would be the suspicion of bringing political influence to bear upon the courts, and moreover, the rule would work both ways. Supposing a decision were given which the other side disliked, he might have two or three brewers, with publicans and others attending and asking him to set the Appeal Court in motion at the expense of the taxpayers—a thing to which he fancied the deputation would object. Coming, however, to the Wollongong case, he regretted very much that the whole of the facts connected with it had not been mentioned. He had had inquiries made, and found that there was not the inconsistency in the decision that the remarks made would lead one to expect. Applications in connection with the house had been made on five occasions. The first application was refused. It was not however, correct to say that the ground of the refusal was solely concerning the site. The ground, as reported, was that the building proposed to be erected was not suitable for a tourists' hotel, and therefore not suitable for the site. The second application, made in July, 1900, was withdrawn. The third, made in October of the same year, was granted, but the premises were never built. The fourth application was made in October, 1901, when the Court held that it had no jurisdiction, as the application was premature. The last application was made in January of the present year, and was for a tourists' hotel, and the district licensing inspector was in favour of it. It was for a tourists' hotel, not for a bar hotel. He was not in a position to say whether that decision was right or wrong, but the magistrates had before them all the evidence and the petition against it was received, because it was attached to the depositions. If the magistrates were wrong there was an opportunity given by the law for appeal to the Quarter Sessions, and unless it was to be the rule that whenever a sufficiently influential political body chose to bring pressure to bear upon a Minister to prosecute appeals at the cost of the taxpayer, he saw no reason why he should interfere in this case more than in any other. It did not appear to him to be the duty of that office to prosecute appeals against the decision of a licensing magistrate. There was no precedent for doing such a thing. In the case where a license had been granted for an hotel at Kensington, Mr. Gould, a former Minister of Justice, had granted the right to prosecute an appeal, but the circumstances of that case were very different from those of the present one. With regard to Tattersall's hotel, the general observations he had made with regard to the Wollongong case would apply equally. There were, however, certain questions of fact upon which it was well to be agreed before he made any further observations. As to the statement that no opportunity was given to the business people to be heard, he would point out that the application was made on December 27 and was brought before the Court on the 30th. When it came up it was specially postponed to allow witnesses to be called and the case to be heard. It was not heard until January 6, when a solicitor appeared in support of objections to the license. The solicitor, when asked, said he did not wish to call any evidence in opposition. Therefore, if the residents were not heard it was the fault of the solicitor appearing for them intimating that no evidence would be called.

Mr. G. D. Clark: You have been misinformed.

The Attorney-General: Then everyone must be in a conspiracy to mislead the department. The statement was on the depositions. However, he would say that a practice appeared to have grown up of applying for a license in anticipation, and when the matter was first brought under his notice he expressed the opinion that there was nothing in the Act to justify an order being made in anticipation. There was nothing to prevent a publican from extending his premises, and he could do so without asking the permission of the Court, but he, of course, had to take the risk whether, when he opened a new bar, it would be considered a legitimate addition to the premises or not. However, he (Mr. Wise) intended to send a circular to licensing magistrates informing them that they had no power to give any authority of the kind in anticipation. If the order made by the magistrates were nugatory, as undoubtedly it was, there was nothing against which to appeal. As to the appearance of Ministers of the Crown in the way mentioned by the deputation, that was largely a question of taste, and he personally would not do it. On behalf of the Judiciary he would say that from the Judges downwards he believed they had the confidence of the public that they discharged their duties with absolute impartiality.

After some further observations the deputation thanked the Attorney-General and retired.

THE LATE MR. W. T. POOLE, J.P.

The late Mr. W. T. Poole, whose death was announced in yesterday's issue of the "Herald," was born in London in 1828. As a young man in the old country Mr. Poole interested himself in matters pertaining to railway construction, but in 1851 he decided to sail for Australia. He landed in that year in South Australia, but only remained in Adelaide 12 months. He then came on to New South Wales, and at the time of his death he had been a resident of this State for upwards of 50 years. Mr. Poole upon his arrival in Sydney, at once turned his attention to the work of railway construction, which, in those days, was in its infancy; in fact, the line was only just opened as far as Parramatta. The deceased proved a most successful railway contractor, and carried out some extensive works in that direction. His contracts included several important sections of lines over the Blue Mountains between Penrith and Bathurst. He also constructed portions of our Great Northern line of railways. After spending many years in the pioneering work of laying down of the New South Wales lines of railway, Mr. Poole retired, but being of an active turn of mind he speculated in the sugar-growing industry, and erected a large mill on the Macleay River, but owing to continued bad seasons he removed the mill to Fiji. The climate there was against his health, and after spending two years on that island he sold out, and returned to Sydney. He took up his residence at Redfern, and there he remained for 25 years until his death took place.

Soon after settling in Redfern Mr. Poole was returned as one of the four members to the Legislative Assembly for the electorate of South Sydney. He remained in Parliament for five years, and during that time he took an active part in politics. Among other things, he greatly interested himself in the question of the irrigation of the land and the conservation of water. He was elected to the Redfern Municipal Council in June, 1891, and in 1895 he was elected Mayor of the borough. He was nine years an alderman, and only retired when his health failed him. He was regarded as one of the ablest of municipal representatives, and was highly esteemed by his colleagues and the officers of the council, and when he in September, 1900, retired from public life his absence from the council was much regretted by the aldermen and residents of Redfern in general. Mr. Poole was one of the founders of the Sydney Hydraulic Company, and up to the time of his death as a director of the company he took a keen interest in its welfare. He was also connected with the Engineering Association of New South Wales.

For many years Mr. Poole was a justice of the peace. He was a member of the Redfern Bowling Club, and took considerable interest in promoting sport of all kinds. The deceased gentleman had been in failing health for some months past, but latterly his health had considerably improved, and on Thursday he was in excellent spirits. He was out for a drive, and joined his family at dinner. About 11 p.m. the same day he was seized with severe pains, and in about two hours' time he had breathed his last. Dr. Jarvie Hood had been in attendance on him. Mr. Poole leaves a widow, one son (who is a mining engineer in Port Pirie, South Australia), and three daughters. The funeral will take place this afternoon at Rookwood Cemetery.

TECHNICAL COLLEGE.

EXAMINATION PASS LIST.

CITY AND COUNTRY.

The undermentioned, in addition to the results published on 17th ultimo, completed the pass list for the examinations held in connection with the Technical College. The names appear in order of merit. Of the 4225 examined, 3126 passed, or 73 per cent., 590 succeeded in obtaining honours, 732 the first grade, and 1874 the second grade. To pass in the honours grade 85 per cent. of marks is required, in the first grade 75 per cent., and in the second grade 50 per cent. The gold medals presented by the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage for sanitary engineering and advanced plumbing have been awarded to Joseph P. Palazzi and Thomas Kennedy respectively. The Granville Technical Scholarships have been awarded to Roy Hamilton and Alexander W. Pople, who succeeded in securing 80 and 79 per cent. respectively of the total marks. The Kemp Memorial Scholarship, open to all students of the architectural classes in Sydney and the country, has been awarded to William H. Withers. In the following list B. stands for Bathurst; B.H., Broken Hill; G., Goulburn; H., Hobart; W.M., Maitland; M., Minmi; N., Newcastle:—

Mineralogy.—First year Honours: George F. Longmuir (B.H.), John A. Ohlen, Leslie J. Griffiths (B.H.), Albert Woods (B.H.), William H. Reeve, John L. Woods (B.H.), Bertram B. Fanan (B.H.). First grade: Herbert M. Paul (B.H.), William Jensen, Oliver Reece, Leo J. Jones, Henry E. Preston, Harry M'K. Lackie (B.H.). Second grade: Reginald S. Sayers, Frank Serpenthal, William J. Mulligan, Richard T. Wade (B.), John H. O'Halloran, John Poole (B.H.), Arthur M. Lowe, Alan P. R. Lane, Herbert C. Manfred (G.), John D. Millen (N.). Second year—Honours: Leslie J. Griffiths (B.H.). First grade: Herbert M. Paul (B.H.), George Allen (B.H.), Robert T. Wade (B.). Second grade: John D. Millen (N.), Albert Woods (B.H.), Leon Jacobs, Harold Mills (B.H.), Oliver Reece.

Plumbing.—First year Honours: Frederick E. Ayling, Francis Spies, Arthur T. Walter (B.), John F. Smedley, Robert Craig (N.), Charles A. Studdert (B.), Thomas J. Lawson, Harry D. P. Buddle, A. Maison (H.), James Pramble (B.), Wilson J. Ellas, J. Swift (H.), Pendrill C. Blacket, Thomas Smith. First grade: Robert H. Kelsey, W. Long (H.), Edgar Reed, Charles A. Brooks (N.), Robert Brown, William H. M'Cotter, Thomas Stephenson (N.), John Bartley (N.), Walter S. Bignold, George N. M'Donald, Frank Giddey (B.). Second grade: George G. M'Whirter, Ernest C. Atkins (B.), William J. Bennett, George Oates (N.), Walter Tinsley (B.), Herbert T. Castle, Gilston E. Carr, F. W. Semple (H.), W. Foster (H.), L. N. Lee (H.), Arthur F. Harvison, Alexander R. M'Dougall, William J. Dine, Alfred W. Mackay, A. Joseph Sime, William Wenban, Francis C. Drake, F. Buchanan (H.), George J. Thomas, John T. Arsbett (W.M.), Francis R. Quartly, William Young, Robert S. Rayward, William Hamilton (N.), Alfred E. Way (N.), Charles O. Ryman, Arthur T. Harding (B.), William Webster, Thomas Woods, James C. Watson, John Mitchell, William Watson, Francis Murphy, Bertie Hall, Thomas Williams (N.). Theoretical only—Honours: Alexander F. Codey. Second grade: W. Johnston (H.), Thomas Smith.

Practical Only.—First grade: Ernest A. Carter, Joseph Child, Fred M. Lockyer. Second grade: Malcolm Hanna, Rupert L. Farrand, John Jones, Albert J. Summers. Second Year—Honours: James C. M'Naught, William Coad. First grade: Robert Everett (N.), Albert A. Varley (N.), James A. Forgie (N.), Frederick Woodhouse, Frank Campbell (W.M.), George T. Dudley (N.), John Williams, Alfred J. Wakeham. Second grade: Thomas G. Hill (N.), Frederick R. Pike (N.), John R. Griffiths (N.), William Hopkins, William T. Broom, Charles Townsend, Ernest C. Riley, John R. Marshall (N.), Charles Jarvis, Henry B. Graham (W.M.), Walter R. Blundell, James H. Lopez, Gilbert J. M'Whirter, C. Farrell (H.), W. J. Cutcliffe (H.), A. J. Calaway (H.). Theoretical only—Second grade: Fred S. Harrison. Practical only—First grade: George W. Craig (N.), Frederick E. Blakeman, Arthur Snowball. Third year—Second grade: Arthur Stewart, Charles Bourne, William Miller, James C. Barry, George B. Sprigg, Charles Simpson, Ernest A. Adams. Theoretical and practical work only—Second grade: William J. Craine. Theoretical only—Second grade: Hugh Malcolm. Sketch only—Second grade: John N. Marsden. Advanced—Honours: Thomas Kennedy. First grade: Reginald W. Richards, George W. Marshman, Walter D. Lawson, Thomas G. Hill, Arthur H. H. Steele, William C. Thomson, Edward Brownell, Archibald Beard, John D. Cooper, George B. Maidment. Second grade: George H. Godfrey (N.), Walter J. Sneesby (N.), William B. Smith, Alfred H. George, Thomas G. Bowe, Robert C. Sneesby (N.), Joseph Ranger, Frank W. Kent, George York, Charles E. Hollyer, Charles A. M'Elroy, Frank Moore, Owen M'Carthy. Practical only—First grade: Leslie Pinson. Practical work and sketch only: William J. Taylor.

Coal Mining.—Honours stage—Pass: William Horsey (N.), John M'Geachie (N.), John Watson (N.), Thomas Johnston (M.), William D. Rees (N.).

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—February 7.

R.M.S. Arcadia, P. and O. Company's line, 6663 tons, Captain F. C. A. Lyon, R.N.R., from London, via ports. Passengers—From London: Miss Maidment, Mr. and Mrs. and Master Guthrie, Mr. Harrison, Mr. G. Harper, Mr. H. Allender, Mr. C. Drew. From Marseilles: Mr. and Mrs. Manjost, Senator Matheson, Mr. A. V. ..., Mr. C. Holm, Mr. Giles. From Port Said to Sydney: Mr. P. O. Black. From Colombo to Sydney: Mrs. Green and child, Mr. Ackland, Mr. Todd, Mrs. Harrison, the Misses Harrison, Mr. C. Brook, Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Radcliffe, Mr. F. Doyle, Miss M. Ravenor, Mr. H. A. Doug, Miss A. Archer, Mr. W. Hickson. From Colombo to Sydney: Captain Russell, Lieutenant Lambert, Mr. A. R. Simpson, Mr. C. Adams, Mr. J. Porter, Mr. W. Cross, 1 native servant, Mr. T. Gildea and Mrs. Gildea. From Fremantle: Miss M'Beth, Mr. and Mrs. Grames and child, Mrs. E. M'Lachlan, Mr. R. Pearce, Mr. G. Shipton, Mr. Moore, Mr. J. E. Wainwright, Mr. D. Erskine. From Largs Bay to Sydney: Rev. Canon Andrews, Mr. Fisher, Miss E. Waite, Miss Waite, Mr. A. S. Beaudreth, Dean Marryat, Mr. Rivaz, Miss Rivaz, Mr. C. Hackett, Mr. ... Wright, Dr. Drummond, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Humphries, Miss Cashmore. From Melbourne to Sydney: Miss G. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Bayne, Mr. G. Hainsworth, Hon. C. J. Roberts, Miss Roberts, Mr. J. S. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Huggins, Mr. G. Hood, Mr. F. J. Bohms, Miss Harper, Mrs. P. Bidstrup, Mrs. Hamway, Miss J. Chisholm, Miss Chisholm, Mr. C. Row, Mr. J. Colgan, Mr. Lane, Mr. A. S. Woolcott, Master Huggins. From London to Sydney: Mr. N. Dodgshun, Mr. Judson, Mr. Gillespie. From Marseilles to Sydney: Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Ayston, the Misses Ayston (2). Edward Trelawny, agent.

Zealandia, s., 2771 tons, Captain Walter Hisgrave, from Auckland. Passengers—Mesdames Jones, Charter, T. Phillips, James, M'Rae and 3 children, Phillips, Genther, M'Carroll, Gamlerton, Taylor, Balvison, Duff, Bagg, Brabazon, Hunter, Corrigan, Misses Lawson, Willis, Hawkesford, Blackie, Hilton, Taylor, Springthorpe, Austin (2), Honeycombe, White, E. Smith, V. Moses, M. Grigg, Charlier, Mortlock, Knight, Blackburn, Nurse Adams, Messrs. C. G. Inson, S. Cohen, J. Bernard, J. Anderson, Lackie, A. J. Hill, Pollock, F. Falkner, Lewin, B. J. Wernham, Alpine, J. Taylor, J. Dransfield, A. J. Cox, J. Gardiner, G. F. Moore, W. A. Fowler, W. Rowlandson, Bagg, Brabazon, Grahame, Hunter, S. Kelly, E. Nicoll, M'Carthy, James, A. Brook, Rev. Johnson, and 51 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Leura, s., 1182 tons, Captain William Ellis, from Melbourne February 5. Passengers—Mr. R. F. Lee, Miss T. Copas, Miss A. Copas, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Leask, Mrs. Gardner, Mr. W. J. T. Crampton, Mr. R. Hunter, Mr. M. Shirley, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Whipp and 3 children, Mr. M. Reade, Mr. A. E. Julien, Mr. M. Ferguson, Mr. H. Booth, Mr. M. Thom, Mr. Hillyard, Mr. J. Barraclough, Mr. M. Mason, Mr. M. Kilburn, Mrs. Griffin, Miss Hughes, Mr. Hammond, Miss Johnson, Miss M. Zeno, Miss Flynn, Miss Laborde, Miss M. A. Hall, Mrs. Benjamin and child, Miss Parry, Mr. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Osborne, Mr. Hugh Glass, Mr. Robertson, Mr. M. Lever, Mr. T. H. Vinton, Mr. M. Murphy, Mrs. Cudd, Miss Ironmonger, and 29 in the second cabin. Howard Smith and Co., Limited, agents.

Tyrian, s., 1455 tons, Captain J. D. Joy, from Townsville, via ports. Passengers—Mesdames J. Everel, L. Williams and infant, D. Goldsbrough, C. Thompson and 2 infants, A. Buzacott, C. Pardoe, C. Smith and infant, G. Smith and infant, J. Wilson, C. Hill and 2 infants, C. Esther, G. Banks infant and maid, Misses L. Williams, C. Carroll, G. Baker, E. Raymond, A. Buzacott, O'Sullivan, V. Glandfield, V. Morros, V. Banks, C. Esther, Messrs. J. Canney, J. Everet, H. Habb, C. Everet, H. Everet, G. Fancourt, R. Boydie, S. Davis, H. Wark, O. H. Chidgey, E. Blackley, G. L. Sullivan, J. O'Shaughnessy, T. Walsh, T. Gedis, Captain Phillipson, and 45 in the steerage. Howard Smith and Co., Limited, agents.

Adelaide, s., 1711 tons, Captain D. P. Davies, from Brisbane. Passengers—Miss F. Smith, Miss Newman, Miss Kennett, Mr. Wragge, Mr. A. Duff, Mr. and Mrs. Pike, Mrs. Day and child, Mr. and Mrs. Jones and 2 children, Master Garside, Mr. Greaves, Mr. and Mrs. Cohen and 4 children, Mr. J. H. Close, Mr. and Mrs. T. Shepherd, Mrs. J. Griffith, Mr. E. Smith, Mr. Thos. Goloby, Mr. H. Roche, Mr. A. Marshall, Miss Sloan, Mr. J. Sloan, Mr. C. W. Rogers, Mr. Van de Velde, Mr. R. Rogers, jun., Mr. and Mrs. W. Murray, Miss S. Pierce, Miss M. Pierce, Miss Christie, Mr. H. L. Peate, Mrs. Dunn and maid, Mr. Mills, Mr. W. J. Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. T. Spalding, Mr. F. W. Buckham, Mr. John King, Mr. A. Peterson, and 63 in the steerage. G. S. Yuill and Co., Limited, agents.

St. George, s., 600 tons, Captain B. Alley, from Richmond River. Passengers—Mrs. Senior, Misses Senior, Holden, Messrs. M'Cubbin, Hoan, O'Flynn, Jolliffe, Dillon, Thornton (2), Tweeder, Henderson, Duncan, O'Kelly, Woodruff, Captain Storey, Master Storey, and 11 in the second cabin. North Coast S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

Rosedale, s., 274 tons, Captain J. O. Anderson, from Nambucca River and Port Macquarie. Passengers—Mrs. Turnbull, Misses Hitchens, M'Kee, Greer (2), Messrs. Fanstago, Turnbull, Moore, Ayres, Rev. Father O'Brien, Masters Ayres (2), and 3 in the forecabin. North Coast S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

Burrawong, s., 391 tons, Captain R. Taplin, from Macleay River. Passengers—Mesdames Maxwell, Woods, Jeffrey, Radcliffe, Baldwin, Coleman, Spurway and family, Higman, Misses Smith, Shaw, Messrs. Coleman, Scott, Defries, Killean, Savage, Howison, Caldwell, Jacobs, Bennett, M'Phillips, Masters Radcliffe, Gregory, Bowman, Champion, Anderson. North Coast S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

Tambo, s., 1000 tons, Captain G. F. Entwisle, from Hobart. Passengers—Mesdames Paterson, Burns, Jones, Misses Benbow, Jones, Messrs. J. Seargant, Tighe, R. Templeman, O'Brien, W. Sampson, Thorpe, J. Simpson, W. Stone, A. Simpson, Farrell, Waller, Master Rehum, and 12 in the second cabin. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Yarrawonga, s., Lund's line, 4011 tons, Captain Gilchrist, from London, via ports. Gilchrist, Watt, and Sanderson, Limited, agents.

Riverdale, s., 4206 tons, Captain Hay, from Newcastle. John Darling and Sons, agents.

Namoi, s., 1414 tons, Captain H. Warne, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, Limited, agents.

Augusta, s., 205 tons, Captain Tulloch, from Tweed River. Passengers—Mr. Habberkin, and 3 in the steerage. L. Tulloch, agent.

Mildura, s., 2217 tons, Captain T. Law Johnston, from Queensland ports. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Adelaide, s., 1711 tons, Captain D. P. Davies, from Brisbane. G. S. Yuill and Co., Limited, agents.

Nemesis, s., 1582 tons, Captain Lusher, from Newcastle. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Wotton, s., 151 tons, Captain Read, from Camden Haven. Allen Taylor and Co., agents.

Kittawa, s., 1500 tons, Captain Collins, from Newcastle. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Aola, schooner, Captain C. H. Pope, from South Sea Islands. John Williams, agent.

DEPARTURES.—February 7.

Buteshire, s., for London and South Africa, via ports.
Alex. Gibson, American ship, for Acapulco.
Stassfurt, s., for Hamburg, via Queensland ports.
Karaweera, s., for Melbourne.
Port Elliot, s., for Dunkirk, Antwerp, and London.
Paroo, s., for Western Australia.
Nemesis, s., for Melbourne.
Burrumbeet, s., for Melbourne and Geelong.
Rockton, s., for Brisbane.
Manapouri, s., for Newcastle.
Dovedale, s., for Newcastle.
Cromdale, ship, for Newcastle.
Tambo, s., for Newcastle.
Fairport, ship, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle.
Rio, barquentine, for Auckland, via Grafton.
Australasian, s., for Newcastle.
Wakatipu, s., for Launceston, via Eden.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—February 8.

China, R.M.S., for London via ports; Grosser Kurfurst, for Bremen via ports; Titania, s., for Dunkirk, Antwerp, and Hull via ports; Waikare, s., for Wellington and New Zealand ports; Tyrian, s., for Melbourne; Leura, s., for Townsville, via Brisbane and ports; Adelaide, s., for Cairns, via Brisbane and ports; Mildura, s., for Rockhampton, via Brisbane and ports; Oonah, s., for Hobart; Kurnalpi, s., for Newcastle; Nymboida, s., for Clarence River; St. George, s., for Richmond River; Wootton, s., for Camden Haven, Kendall, and Laurieton; Burrawong, s., for Macleay River; Corryvrechan, barque, for London.

CLEARANCES.—February 7.

Paroo, s., 2665 tons, Captain J. B. S. Medley, for Fremantle, via ports. Passengers—Mrs. Popham, Mrs. Kruger and child, Mrs. Hallam and infant, Mrs. W. A. Adams, Mrs. R. J. Martin, Mrs. Sproule, Mrs. E. H. Pike, Mrs. Rooney, Mrs. Axon and family, Miss Newman, Miss Kennett, Miss Alice Brown, Miss Bullest, Miss Maitland, Miss Keys, Miss F. Smith, Miss S. Martyn, Miss Roberts, Miss Silk, Master Sproule, Messrs. W. H. Weddell, S. Weddell, E. W. Parish, E. F. Walker, F. Kinloch, E. A. Wooldridge, G. S. Sawtell, M'Indoe, G. E. Selby, Master M'Lean, J. Bergan, S. Louis, H. H. Oakley, Duff, J. B. Weesberg, F. Powers, F. Shaw, A. Peterson, R. Austin, W. Austin, Axon, Pike, and 85 in the steerage.

Wakatipu, s., 1797 tons, Captain Livingstone, for Launceston. Passengers—Mesdames A. M. Brown, Ward, Mason and infant, M. O. Hungerford, W. Burton, J. P. Wood, Dickson, A. Blomfield, Misses Brown, Foster, M. Bennett, Hinch, Murphy, M. Murphy, L. Musgrave, Hungerford, G. Ralph and 2 children, Dickson, Messrs. Lakeman, J. P. Wood, E. Potts, A. Kingston, Outhred, J. C. Genders, T. Uther, Davidson, Master Blomfield, and 12 in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Rockton, s., 1971 tons, Captain Marcus M. Osborne, for Queensland ports. Passengers—Mr. W. F. Thompson, Mr. Turnbull, Mr. Young, Mr. Sweeney, Mr. Mackett, Mr. M'Cullough, Mr. Bredfeld, Mr. Anderson, Mr. Powell, Mr. A. Lambrose, Mr. Dowridge, Miss Webster and child, Captain and Mrs. Taylor, Miss Mobin, Mrs. Meredith Brown, Mrs. Hoffman and child, and 23 steerage.

Burrumbeet, s., 2426 tons, Captain P. Le Neveu, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Simpson, Misses L. Coots, Feltham, Johnson, Mugfiston, Clathworthy, Gilchrist, Mugliston, Ravey, Messrs. C. Finlay, Mould, Derum, Cole, Pain, Kearney, Tomlinson, Hoare, J. E. O'Grady, Simpson, and 13 steerage.

Tambo, s., 732 tons, Captain Entwistle, for Newcastle, in ballast.

Fairport, ship, 1857 tons, Captain Armstrong, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle.

Rio, barquentine, 289 tons, Captain Spruitt, for Auckland, via Grafton.

Australasian, steamer, 3682 tons, Captain Spalding, for Newcastle, with part of original cargo.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—February 7.

Moonah, Captain M. Andrews, for Jervis Bay.

IMPORTS.—February 7.

Zealandia, s., from New Zealand ports: 3 packages woollens, 192 sacks grass seed, 8 casks soda, 10 drums ammonia water, 150 sacks manure, 199 cases fish, 29 packages fungus, 18 packages sheepskins, 9 casks and 76 loose hides, 165 kegs beef, 8 bales wool, 23 bags tongues, 12 bars bullion (£10,000), 120 bags ore, 97 balesdlax, mails, and sundries.

Tyrian, s., from Townsville, via ports: 40 bags bacon, 800 hides, 100 bags hides, 10 casks tallow, 1500 bunches bananas, 250 cases fruit, 10 barrels rum, 29 bales skins, 40 cases candles, 80 cases jams, 28 bags iron, 12 bags bones, 3 bags horns, 2 pieces marble, 55 cases cyanide, 1 pony, quantity furniture and sundries, and through cargo for southern ports.

St. George, s., from Richmond River: 30 bags maize, 8 bags seed, 2 bags bones, 84 bags bottles, 23 bags oysters, 7 bales skins, 45 cases eggs, 7 cases meat, 1 case fish, 2 cases honey, 7 casks tallow, 6 coops poultry, 6 bags and 119 hides, 941 cases butter, 20 logs hardwood, 1 pig, 4000ft. boxwood, and 21 packages sundries.

Rosedale, s., from Nambucca River and Port Macquarie: 197 bags maize, 13 bags bones, 7 bags oysters, 5 cases eggs, 3 cases fish, 25 bags bark, 4 cans cream, 13 coops poultry, 20 hides, 2 kegs and 16 boxes butter, 6 logs cedar, 55 pigs, 4865 spokes, and a quantity of sundries.

Burrawong, s., from Macleay River: 191 bags maize, 180 bags copper ore, 6 bags pumpkins, 79 bags potatoes, 4 bales skins, 37 cases eggs, 8 cases bacon, 5 cases fish, 21 coops poultry, 1 bag and 40 hides, 308 boxes butter, 17 logs pine and hardwood, 203 pieces cedar, 59 pigs, 1500 spokes, 54 ... and sundries.

Rockton, s., from Melbourne: 85 cases tomato sauce, 60 ... eggs, 250 bags onions, 12 pieces dressed bluestone, ... 101 half-cases and 34 quarter-cases fruit, 15 ... poisoners, 48 bundles white pine, 300 bags ... plums, 30 bags tin ore, 11 cases boots and ... sundries; also cargo for Northern ports.

Adelaide, s., from Brisbane: 1164 cases fruit, 170 sacks barley, ... 570 sacks chaff, ... hides, 2 quarter-casks rum, and sundries.

Tambo, s., from Hobart: 544 cases and 527 half-cases fruit, ... bundles ..., 1 cask ..., 2 bales, 3 cases, 1 funnel, and Queensland transhipments.

Mildura, s., from Rockhampton, via ports: 780 cases preserved meats, 251 bales wool, 26 packages empty bottles, 268 bags bones, 51 bales skins, 1 box gold containing 732oz., 1674 bags sugar, 14 casks bacon, 50 cases arrowroot, 25 cases mineral waters, 24 bags and 164 loose hides, 550 bags barley, and sundries.

Augusta, s., from Tweed River: 1 log beech, 60 logs pine, 200 bags bones, 5 casks tallow, 4 cases fish, 10 cases eggs, 20 bags maize, 30 hides, 70 sundry packages.

Mareeba, s., from Cairns, via ports: 21 cedar logs, 143 hides, and 1 cask tallow.

Aola, schooner, from South Sea Islands: 35 tons copra.

EXPORTS.—February 7.

Nemesis, s., for Fremantle, via Melbourne and Adelaide: 450 tons coal, 106 cases soap, 400 bags manure, 530 cases soap, 18 bales leather, 6 cases soap, 20 bales cotton, 12 bales duck, 8 cases galvanised iron, 30 casks tallow, 5 barrels oil, 5 cases granite, 75 doors, 80 cases meats, 5 cases whisky, and sundries.

Burrumbeet, s., for Melbourne: 2000 tons coal, 10 bags oysters, 17 cases fruit, 22,700 wooden blocks, 3 packages machinery, 6 cases books, 35 bags bottles, 4 cases essences, 80 bags rice, 24 cases paper, and sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

BRISBANE.—Arrival: February 7, Yaralla, s., from Rockhampton. Departures: Barcoo, s., for Townsville; Cintra, s., for Melbourne; Konoowarra, s., for Rockhampton; Burwah, s., for Sydney.

BUNDABERG.—Arrival: February 6, Flinders, s., from Brisbane. Departure: February 7, Tinana, s., for Brisbane.

KEPPEL BAY.—Departure: February 6, Duke of Devonshire, s., for London.

ROCKHAMPTON.—Departures: February 7, Moira, s., Julia Percy, for Brisbane.

FLAT TOP.—Departure: February 7, Peregrine, s., for Townsville.

COOKTOWN.—Arrival: February 7, Innamincka, s., from Brisbane.

THURSDAY ISLAND.—Departure: February 6, Chingtu, s., for Sydney.

KARUMBA.—Arrival: February 7, Maranoa, s., from Brisbane.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: February 7, Chillagoe, s., from Melbourne; Joker, ketch, Sydney, s., Newcastle, s., Beagle, s., Civility, s., Manapouri, s., Australasian, s., Dovedale, s., from Sydney. Departures: February 7, Tune, s., for Geelong, with 3500 tons coal; Quathlamba, barque, for Napier, with 688 tons coal; Kittawa, s., for Devonport, via Kembla, with 850 tons coal; Nemesis, s., for Melbourne, via Sydney, with 800 tons coal; Beagle, s., Civility, s., Sydney, s., Newcastle, s., Hannah Nicholson, Lady Mabel, schooners, for Sydney.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: February 7, Gabo, s., at 6.20 a.m., west; Easby, at 7.45 a.m.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: February 7, County of Flint, barque, from Liverpool; Tramp, ship, from Fredrikstadt; Anglian, s., from Sydney; Ujina, s., from Sydney; Coogee, s., from Launceston; Kalgoorlie, s., from Adelaide; Colony, s., from Hamburg; Argus, s., from Durban. Departures: February 7, Flora, s., and Flinders, s., for Devonport; Richmond, s., for Durban; Lucipara, ship, for the Channel; New Guinea, s., for Newcastle; Melbourne, s., for Port Kembla; Undaunted, s., for Sydney.

ADELAIDE.—Arrivals: February 6, Wollowra, s., from Western Australia. February 7, Laira, barque, from New Zealand. Departure: February 7, Marloo, s., for Western Australia.

PORT ADELAIDE.—Arrival: February 7, Ras Beera, from New York. Departure: February 7, Craiglands, for Newcastle.

PORT PIRIE.—Arrival: February 7, Isleholme, from Sydney. Departures: February 7, Port Albert, for Home ports, via Melbourne; Elmsville, for Sydney; Pranus, barque, for Channel; Hedvig, barque, for South Africa.

ALBANY.—Departure: February 6, Redhill, s., for Port Said. February 7, supposed R.M.S. Ophir passed Breaksea, bound east.

(From the Board at the Telegraph Office.)

TWEED HEADS.—Departure: February 7, Excelsior, s., floated off west crossing at 9 a.m., and crossed out at 9.15 a.m. Passed: Two-masted steamer at 9.15 a.m., south.

BYRON BAY.—Arrival: February 7, Cavanba, s., at 8 a.m.

BELLINGER RIVER.—Arrivals: February 7, Alert, tug, at 7 a.m., from Nambucca. Euroka, s., and Premier, and Violet Doepel, ketches, barbound. Departure: Alert, tug, at 7.30 a.m., for Nambucca.

NAMBUCCA HEADS.—Arrival: February 7, Alert, tug, at 8 p.m., from Solitary Island, reports "All well;" Nambucca, s., off bar at 9 a.m., returned to Trial Bay at 9.15 a.m.

SMOKY CAPE.—Passed: February 7, one of Gulf line steamers at 7.30 a.m.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Departure: February 7, Jubilee, ketch, at 8 a.m.

CAMDEN HAVEN HEADS.—Departure: February 7, Kincumber, s., at 8.35 a.m.

CAPE HAWKE.—February 7, Friendship, s., at anchor in bay at 7 a.m.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: February 7, City of Grafton, s., at 7.40 a.m., north.

PORT STEPHENS.—February 7, Willinga, schooner, at anchor in Nelson's Bay; Eliza Allen, schooner, and Phil Forbes, ketch, at anchor in Shoal Bay.

LAKE MACQUARIE HEADS.—Departures: February 7, Galgabba, ketch, at 7.30 a.m., for Port Macquarie; Laura, ketch, at 9.35 a.m., for Sydney.

JERVIS BAY.—Departure: February 7, Marion, ketch, at 5.30 a.m., for Sydney. Passed: February 7, Arab, ketch, at 8 a.m., north.

EDEN.—Arrival: February 7, Wakatipu, s., at 8.45 a.m., from Sydney. Departure: February 7, Wakatipu, s., at 9.20 a.m., for Launceston.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: February 7, steamer red funnel, black top, at 5.50 a.m., steamer flying QMDT at 5.50 a.m., Gabo, s., at 6.20 a.m., Easby, s., at 7.45 a.m., all west.

HOBART.—Arrival: February 7, Monowai, s., at 8.15 a.m., from Melbourne. Departures: Mokoia, s., last night, for Melbourne; H.M.S. Archer, at 8.10 a.m., for Launceston.

LOW HEAD.—Arrival: February 7, Pateena, s., at 8 a.m., from Melbourne.

WYNYARD.—Arrival: February 7, Jane Moorehead, ketch, from Melbourne.

DEVONPORT WEST.—Arrival: February 6, Glaucus, s., at 7.45 p.m., from Melbourne.

ULVERSTONE.—Departures: John Lewis and Bercam, ketches, at 9.30 a.m., for Adelaide.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

LONDON, Friday.

Departures: Hector, s., for Sydney; Chipperkyle, barque, for Sydney; Port Victoria, s., for Sydney, via Melbourne; Oberon, s., for Fremantle.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

Sailed from Wellington: Tekoa, s., for London.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Observatory, Friday.

Average rainfall for 43 years, 49.828.
Rainfall from January 1, 2.026.
Temperature.—Maximum, 71°; minimum, 64°.
Humidity.—9 a.m., 61°; 3 p.m., 55°.

STATE OF BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Carnarvon, 29.81; Gascoigne, 29.82; Perth, 29.80; Esperance Bay, 29.81; Eucla, 29.99; Streaky Bay, 30.08; Adelaide, 30.15; Robe, 30.19; Portland, 30.17; Melbourne, 30.15; Gabo Island, 30.04; Cape St. George, 30.05; Sydney, 30.07; Newcastle, 30.05; Port Macquarie, 30.05; Clarence Heads, 29.97; Brisbane, 29.89; Mackay, 29.71; Cooktown, 29.63.

RAINFALLS IN 24 HOURS PRECEDING 9 A.M.

New South Wales.—Bundarra, 6 points, Mogil 16, Newcastle 5, Cape Hawke 42, Manilla 2, Yetman 2, Glen Innes 31, Moree 8, Uralla 5, Kunopia 1, Millie 6.

At 3 p.m. it was raining at Glen Innes and Inverell.

TEMPERATURES.

Thursday.—Collarendabri 110deg., Walgett 108, Mogil 107, Gunnedah 103, Pillaga, Brewarrina, Maitland, Mount Hope, Mungindi 105, Carinda, Bourke 103; Tabulam, Quambone, Moree, Quirindi, Jerry's Plains 102, Narrabri 101, Dubbo, Marsden, Muswellbrook, Warialda, Wellington 100.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 8 P.M.

Tweed Heads S., strong, cloudy, sea moderate; Byron Bay, S.E., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Ballina, S., moderate gale, cloudy, sea rough; Clarence Heads, S., strong, cloudy, sea moderate; Woolgoolga, S., strong, dull, sea moderate; Bellinger Heads, S.W., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Nambucca Heads, S., cloudy, sea rough; Macleay Heads, S.E., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Port Macquarie, S.S.E., light, cloudy, sea moderate; Manning Heads, S.E., fresh, cloudy, sea rough; Seal Rocks, E.S.E., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Port Stephens, N.E., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Newcastle, E.S.E., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, S.E., light, fine, sea moderate; Catherine Hill Bay, S.E., light, fine, sea moderate; Barranjoey, E.S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; South Head, E.N.E., moderate, cloudy, sea slight; Wollongong, S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Kiama, E., light, fine, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, E., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, S.E., light, cloudy, sea moderate; Ulladulla, S., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, S.E., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Moruya, N.E., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Eden, N., light, cloudy, sea slight; Green Cape, S.W., strong, cloudy, sea rough; Gabo Island, S.W., strong, hazy, sea rough.

FORECASTS AT 9 P.M.

New South Wales.—On Saturday still fine, bright weather in New South Wales, with moderate easterly winds; inland variable winds and increasing temperature.—H. C. Russell.

Western Australia.—Mostly fine and moderately cool in the south-western and southern districts, and slight showers on the coast, stormy on the north-west coast, and extending downward; elsewhere hot and sultry with a few scattered thunderstorms. The unsettled weather in the north-west is expected to pass inland shortly and extend through the south coast, giving probably rain; but this will not reach the Coolgardie fields for a few days yet.—W. E. Cooke.

MR. WRAGGE'S FORECASTS FOR THREE DAYS.

New South Wales.—Nasty southerly to south-easterly squalls, but moderating with rain more or less near the coast and the Clarence and Richmond; mostly fine inland, but conditions point to rain in the interior before long.

Western Australia.—Generally very unsettled throughout; heavy rain in the north under monsoon "Docus." Squally and wet southerly south from between north-north-west and south-west under new Antarctic disturbance "Nephis."

Northern Territory and Central Australia.—Temporarily fine, thereafter heavy rain; variable squalls, electric disturbance under "Docus." Telegraphic interruption is not improbable.

South Australia.—Temporarily fine, thereafter hot northerlies, shifting to west, with cool change to south-west, with duststorms, thunderstorms, and rain, especially near the coast, under "Nephis," with rising seas shortly.

Queensland.—Very unsettled in all eastern parts; suspicious along the coast under tropical disturbance "Beteela;" the centre of which is about 250 miles east-north-east from Townsville; nasty south-easterlies to easterlies near the seaboard; rough seas and considerable rain likely north from Bundaberg, extending also inland. Shipping bound north is specially cautioned re "Beteela," which is evidently approaching the coast.

Victoria and Tasmania.—Showery to fine, thereafter the same as South Australia under "Nephis."

New Zealand.—Unsettled and showery, thereafter comes the disturbance "Lysias" south from Wellington.

New Caledonia.—Provisionally fine, but the tropical storm system "Beteela" threatens.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR FEBRUARY 8.

Sun rises at 5.24, sets at 6.58; Moon, 5.4 a.m., 6.10 p.m.; Mercury, 6.43 a.m., 7.34 p.m.; Venus, 6.26 a.m., 6.57 p.m.; Mars, 6.15 a.m., 7.32 p.m.; Jupiter, 3.56 a.m., 5.58 p.m.; Saturn, 3.17 a.m., 5.27 p.m.

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Monte Video, Buenos Ayres, Chili, and Rio Janeiro, from Wellington.—Delphic, 2 p.m.
Richmond River.—St. George, 2 p.m.
Clarence River.—Nymboida, 8 p.m.
Auckland, &c., N.Z.—Islands, 8 p.m.
Hobart and Launceston.—Oonah, 8 p.m.
Macleay River.—Burrawong, 9 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Flora, 9.30 p.m.
*Western Australia, via Adelaide.—Anglian, 9.30 p.m.
Strahan, Zeehan, and West Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Kawatiri, 9.30 p.m.

MONDAY.

Eden.—Bega, 11 a.m.
Hobart.—Tambo, 3 p.m.
Macassar and Java, via Brisbane.—Stassfurt, 3.45 p.m.
Noumea, via Newcastle.—St. Louis, 5.30 p.m.
Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Pateena, 5.30 p.m.
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Port Macquarie and Nambucca River.—Rosedale, 9 a.m.
Richmond River.—Tomki, 1 p.m.
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R.M.S. China (letters addressed to persons on board).—Overland to Adelaide, 4.30 p.m.
Western Australia, via Adelaide.—R.M.S. China, 5.30 p.m.
Dunedin, &c., N.Z., and Hobart, via Melbourne.—Mokoia, 5.30 p.m.
Fiji, Samoa, and Tonga.—Manapouri, 7 p.m.
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WEDNESDAY.

Eden.—Eden, 11 a.m.
Auckland, &c., N.Z.—Zealandia, 3 p.m.
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Western Australia, via Adelaide.—Paroo, 5.30 p.m.
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The Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1902.

The raids on Commandant de Wet's stores of grain are a worse blow to the enemy than the blockhouses, as the absence of food renders a prolonged concentration of the forces impossible.

The Paris correspondent of the "Times" says that the opinion is gaining ground that the Dutch Government would be glad to be rid of the disquieting presence of the Boer peace delegates.

The "Daily Telegraph's" war correspondent says that recently Lord Methuen, in marching on a dark night, moved in a circle and captured his own convoy.

General Louis Botha has degraded Commandant Tobias Smuts for burning Bremersdorp.

Smuts retorted that Christian Botha had acted similarly, and had not been punished, and that the General himself had ordered Boer women to be driven against their will to concentration camps.

Lord Kitchener has been asked to communicate to the Boer leader the notes which passed between the Dutch and British Governments.

Colonel Rawlinson's Mounted Infantry have captured 30 of General Botha's commando.

Lord Salisbury's speech has convinced Germany that Great Britain does not propose to abate her demands as to South Africa.

Ex-Commandant Smuts's reply to General Botha has convinced certain Continental critics that what were called "British barbarities" were sometimes regarded as "Boer military necessities."

Smuts has also confirmed the allegation that the British were forced to establish concentration camps.

The "National Zeitung" says that the letter shows the impropriety of characterising British soldiers as murderers and farm-burners.

Mr. Kruger and his clique are incensed at Dr. Kuyper's fruitless intervention on behalf of the Boers.

The total British losses from the beginning of the war—October, 1899—to the end of last month, including deaths from disease, are 965 officers and 24,340 men.

The "Daily Mail" says that the British Government is withdrawing its garrison from Wei-hai-wei, but is maintaining the civil administration, as the German sphere of influence interferes with utility of the garrison.

Mr Wood, a supporter of Mr. Russell's Land Purchase Bill, defeated Mr. Wallace (Unionist) for the East Down seat by 147 votes.

The Denka tribe has looted a British convoy south of Khartoum and killed Lieutenant Scott-Barbour.

By explosions of gas in Chicago, under the pavements, buildings have been wrecked and 13 people killed.

Canada is devoting 5000dol. annually to the Ontario manufacturers' sample rooms in London.

Mahmud Pasha, has been sentenced to death in default of appearing at Constantinople.

Miss Nance O'Neill has taken the Lyceum Theatre, London.

A Macedonian has assassinated M. Kautcheff, the Bulgarian Minister for Public Instruction, and afterwards committed suicide.

It was subsequently found that the assassin was a disappointed University professor.

Admiral Rawson will start for New South Wales during the second week in April, and will travel via America.

Mr. W. H. Rowe is private secretary and Major Coleman aide-de-camp to his Excellency the Governor.

The Prince of Wales has been installed a Fellow of the Royal Society.

Thirty lakhs of rupees (£200,000) has been promised by the people of India towards the Victoria Memorial Hall at Calcutta.

Publicists in Berlin are strenuously endeavouring to convince Americans that it was Germany and not Great Britain which prevented a European coalition in favour of Spain on the eve of the Spanish-American war.

Americans look upon the statement with scepticism.

Mr. Chamberlain opposed Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's amendment regarding the procedure proposals on the ground that their reference to a select committee would cause years of delay.

The opposition of Germany to the reduction of the European garrison at Tientsin and the restitution of Chinese civil government in the city has enabled Germany to acquire extensive mining rights in Shantung.

The "Times" says that the movement for a preferential tariff within the Empire has apparently contributed to quicken the German perception of the unwisdom of estranging the British completely.

At the inquest yesterday upon the body of the man Richard Nagle, who died at Sydney Hospital on January 20, a verdict of manslaughter was returned against a man.

The Minister for Works is paying a visit to Mount Kosciusko.

Mr. O'Sullivan strongly advocates the extension of the railway to the Mount.

A deputation representing the New South Wales Alliance waited on the Attorney-General yesterday and urged that appeals should be made against certain decisions of the licensing benches.

Mr. Wise said he saw no reason to take the course suggested by the deputation.

The quarantine restrictions with regard to the recently plague-infected area at Rushcutter Bay have been removed.

Of 4225 candidates at the recent Technical College examinations 3126 passed.

Major-General Hutton yesterday addressed four companies of the Commonwealth Contingent. He pointed out that the strong individuality of colonial troops mainly constituted their merit.

The General also addressed the Army Medical Corps. He said that no troops at the front stood higher in the estimation of the Field Marshal, and of the whole army in South Africa, than the New South Wales Army Medical Corps.

The board of management of the Typographical Association has carried a resolution emphatically protesting against the anti-British resolution carried at the last Political Labour Conference.

The members of the New Zealand Eighth Contingent who are in Sydney were entertained at a harbour excursion yesterday.

In the cricket match at Bathurst yesterday the Englishmen lost seven wickets for 413 runs.

Bush fires continue to rage in various parts of the State. Considerable damage to property has been done.

At the instance of the Hon. Rupert Carrington it has been decided to raise a corps of 150 bushmen in the Riverina for service in South Africa.

The correspondence between Mr. Barton and Mr. Chamberlain relative to the War Office meat contract has been laid on the table of the Federal Parliament.

The Premier of Tasmania suggests that a conference of the Federal Premier and the State Premiers should be held to adjust financial difficulties of the States due to recent legislation.

Members of the Senate and a few members of the House of Representatives will commence a tour of inspection of various suggested federal capital sites on Wednesday.

Mr. Barton has informed the Home Government that no commission would be charged on disbursements in connection with the federal contingents.

The House of Representatives further considered the tariff yesterday.

At a preliminary meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms yesterday a branch of the British Empire League was formed.

In the Stock and Share market yesterday the number of transactions was less than in the earlier part of the week, but the movements which took place, although only slight, had an upward tendency.

There was a moderate volume of business in the Mining market. Copper companies were firmer, Queensland quartz ventures were steady, but Barrier silver stocks were slightly weaker.

An improved demand took place in the Import market. Prices were unchanged.

OUR RAILWAYS.

The series of special articles on "Our Railways" appearing in our columns during the past few weeks is concluded to-day. These eleven papers taken together present a comprehensive survey of the business and concerns of the great department which has control of our principal State asset. Every taxpayer is interested in it, whether he be a user of the railway or not, though in these days the sections of the population untouched by train or tram must be a very fractional remnant. As a matter of fact, our indirect interest in the service is greater than that measurable by the mere convenience of trams and trains to the individual, though this is great enough in itself. For our railways guarantee to a large extent our public credit, throwing a vast responsibility on the shoulders of the Commissioners who administer them and the staff that carries on the work, and whose duty it is to see that no deterioration takes place in the value or in the efficiency of this great public asset. Our railways are our chief agents of settlement, taking for the purpose the place of the rivers which have done so much to populate the United States. They shorten our vast Australian distances, making interchange possible and easy, and they prepare the way for the population of the future which is to make them pay on a much larger scale than they do now. We have spent something like forty millions sterling on the construction alone of our railways. We spend in the neighbourhood of two millions on their annual working, they carry nearly thirty millions of passengers every year, and we have about three thousand miles of line open and in the course of construction. These round figures suggest the importance of the service with which this series of special articles deals, and the claims it has on public interest, whilst at the same time it offers every justification for the desire of the public to know whatever is to be known about our railways and their working.

The story of the working of our railways is a story of organisation and detail. This is well brought out in the articles published. On the one side we have the great department, as its function is expressed in terms of the above-quoted figures. On the other is the system of detail and minute administration which keeps this organisation together and ensures its efficient working. The public sees the trains and lines, the millions of passengers, and what may be called the outer mechanism of the system. But behind all this there are the different departments our special reporter describes, the goods, locomotive, and stores branches, the carriage shops which really stand for a great State industry in themselves; and behind these again are the stages of growth and development through which our railways have passed in their half-century's course, until from the small line opened in 1855 between Parramatta and Sydney, then in the hands of a private company, there has been evolved the great money-spending, employment-giving, and public-serving State Department of to-day. Few records of the growth of great businesses could rival in its intrinsic interest the story of all this as it is told in these articles. They cover in effect an important chapter of State history, and not the less so because one of their claims to interest is the account of the change our railway system has undergone from political influence and direction to absolutely non-political control. Three stages are indicated. The first railway was begun by private enterprise. Then the State took matters over and controlled them after its fashion until 1888, when the Parkes Railway Act came into operation vesting the railway administration of New South Wales in three Railway Commissioners, thus setting the example to the rest of Australia. Fortunately, the work in this State fell into the able hands of the late Mr. Eddy. He brought his British experience to bear, and promptly grasped the opportunity for reorganising the department and the whole system of railway administration which the inauguration of the new Act afforded him. We are enjoying the results of his vigorous policy today; and it is not too much to say that if it has been possible to publish in our columns so satisfactory a retrospect and description of railway development and working, the reforms introduced by the Railway Act of 1888 and by Mr. Eddy must take much of the credit.

It is to details we must turn for the best and, indeed, the only reliable credentials of any work of organisation. The details of our railway administration and management are freely given in these papers. Without attempting to recapitulate them, they may be sufficiently suggested by what has been said of the working of the Stores Branch. It is truly said here that a great Railway Department requires supplies on the scale of an army in the field, and ranging from the most important requirement to the veriest trifle. Yet all these things have to be provided with forethought and economy, everything has to be accounted for, and the same system of record, check and counter-check, must be followed in the case of a needle or a packet of quarter-inch tacks or cotter pins as would be followed in respect of a requisition for some tons of steel rails or for a locomotive. The multitudinous variety of stores connected with the traffic branch, for instance, helps one to realise the perfection of the organisation when we remember that every requisition for supplies must come under the Commissioners' notice. Nor is this red-tapeism. In a department like this fractional savings amount to a great sum to credit in the aggregate, and in a measure it may be said that the successful administration of our railways is largely secured by its savings. But there is something more. Behind the department, behind its excellent organisation and administration and grasp of detail, stand the men who work the system. As in the field it is "the man behind the gun" who gives meaning and value to military force and equipment, so it must be said that to the men who work our railways is due the main credit of their efficiency. In our reporter's articles, and particularly in the one which closes the series to-day, he has endeavoured to do justice to the railway men's claims to recognition, and to their loyal and capable service. To praise the men is to praise those who administer the Department, for efficient and willing services are never found dissociated from capable management. We have in New South Wales as good railway men as in any country in the world, and there is every reason why it should be so. There has been a judicious interblending of men of British experience, and as our acquaintance with railways in this State goes back almost to the beginnings of railway carriage the local men have had every opportunity for training. For the rest they bring to their work all that willingness, capacity, and readiness in emergency which are the best characteristics of good railway men everywhere.

THE EDUCATION OF WEAK-MINDED CHILDREN.

Several correspondents have recently urged in these columns the desirability of making some further provision for the care of weak-minded children. It has been pointed out that, whilst we have a hospital for sick children and an institution for the training of children who are deaf and dumb or blind, neither the State, except in the Newcastle institution, nor private charity has taken proper steps to secure the education of children who are mentally deficient. When these children belong to wealthy families there is little difficulty about their treatment; they are isolated, and they are surrounded with special precautions. It is when the children thus afflicted belong to the poorer classes that the necessity arises for better provision for their care and education. As things are now, they may be a danger to the State. Their own life is not a happy one. Through no fault of their own, perhaps through accident or it may be through inheritance, they are a class removed from their contemporaries. They cannot enter into the studies of the children of their neighbourhood, and if they enter into their games it is as butts. Not that Australian children are more cruel than their fellows all the world over; indeed the contrary proposition might be maintained with facts and figures. But children are naturally heartless in matters of this kind, and they are prone to make fun of the mentally afflicted. Even if these escape the rough horse-play of their neighbours, they have little to expect from the world. An idiot boy or girl, growing up, is a danger to the community, unless properly safeguarded. Brutality or a yielding to natural instincts may mean the perpetuation of weak-minded generations. Or, if this danger is happily avoided, what is the future of the poor children? When their parents who have supported them are no longer able to do so, what becomes of them? They have not been educated, they know no trade, there is nobody to look after them.

What is needed is further State provision for the separate education of children who are mentally defective. No good can be served by sending them to general schools, even if the authorities were disposed to receive them. Movements in the direction of this particular treatment have already been made. At the recent meeting at Hobart of the Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science, the report of a special committee appointed to consider the education of defective children was brought up and adopted. As a result of the representations of the committee a bill has been introduced in one of the States, giving power to the Minister for Education to institute separate schools for this class of children. In two of the States of the Commonwealth there are now established such schools, and the latest report on their progress is that good work is being done. In our own State, children of the kind are sent to the Newcastle institution, but manifestly this is not enough. There is indeed no evidence to prove that the proportion of mentally defective children to children who have all their faculties about them is as large here as that which prevails in other States. Still, there are some children throughout the country who ought to be looked after for their own sake as well as in the interests of the community. The idea of weak-minded boys and girls, who are unable to profit by the State system of education, who must become a burden to the State sooner or later, and who may become a danger to it—such an idea must influence us strongly in the direction of some more adequate scheme for the amelioration of the lot of the afflicted persons concerned.

Fortunately we are not without guidance on the matter. For more than half a century, for instance, New York has supported a State asylum for just this class of children, and, a few years later, the Lincoln Asylum for feeble-minded children was recognised by Illinois as a State institution. There are similar institutions in Great Britain, in the United States, and in our own Commonwealth, but the two we have mentioned contain features of excellence to which the others have not attained. The main objects aimed at are the protection of the children and their equipment, so far as is possible, for the work of earning their livelihood. The achievement of these objects is beset with difficulties. The general rules of education are manifestly inapplicable to children who are not in the enjoyment of normal intellectual power. They might learn lessons by rote, as a parrot does, but these in themselves are of no use in the development of mental power and in the preparation for the battle of life. Children mentally afflicted cannot hope to rival other children in lines which have to do with thought or *calculation or persistence in brain work.* Something else must be found for them, if they are to become useful members of society instead of dangers to the community. Experts tell us that the employment which is best suited to these children as they approach manhood is agriculture, or farming, or gardening. It is useless putting them into a shop or an office; here their mental inferiority places them at once in a position which must gall them, and thus increase their infirmity. This, however, is a matter for future consideration. What is immediately advisable is the establishment of an adequate institution for the care and education of mentally defective children. We may not hope to cure them; but it is possible to lighten their troubles and at the same time to remove obvious evils. The expense would not be great. It would be nothing in comparison of the expense now incurred by the State in the custody of half-witted children grown to manhood and womanhood. It would be necessary to house the children, to educate them, and to keep them from evil ways. That would cost little enough, and one of our correspondents suggests that private charity would more than meet the cost. Experience, however, indicates that State regulation is advisable; and really the education of the defective children of the poorer classes is a State matter. If the State undertakes the duty of instructing children it should not neglect the interests of the unhappiest. But, if the State cannot or will not undertake the work private benevolence, invoked by our correspondents, may be relied upon to secure the desired end.

THE SENATE ON TOUR.

Before the Senate rose yesterday it agreed to an adjournment until the 25th to enable members to visit the proposed sites for the federal capital. We now learn that the tour of inspection is fixed to begin on Wednesday. Of course it is just as well that a beginning of some kind should be made; and as the Senate will probably stand upon its right to see and form an opinion on the sites proposed, it is proper that senators should secure the earliest opportunity. But it does not appear that this will bring us appreciably nearer a settlement. The House of Representatives has yet to decide on a date for its tour of inspection, and nothing can be done till that is *over. As a means of postponing the consideration* of the general question of the capital this idea of a tour of inspection by members of both Houses is masterly. It has already kept back the discussion of the question, and as the Vice-President of the Executive Council told the Senate yesterday the subject is now definitely put further back until next session, and indefinitely for as long thereafter as may be. No doubt this personal inspection by members will be of great value to the Commonwealth. It is expected to influence the opinions of members more than expert testimony can do, and perhaps some preconceived judgments on the subject may be altered. It is hardly likely, but that will remain a matter of opinion until after these tours are over. What is of importance for the time being is that at last, after the expiration of a fair period for mature consideration, the Minister who has charge of this particular matter, in which our own State is so much interested, has seen fit to make something like a start. The projected excursion will pleasantly fill in the time until the Senate is ready to take up the consideration of the tariff.

THE QUARANTINING OF DOGS.

Correspondents have recently been condemning in our columns in no half-hearted way the regulation which provides for the quarantining of all foreign dogs for six months from the date of landing. It has been pointed out with much cogency that isolation for so long a period is unnecessary, especially when it is remembered that dogs are not shipped in England without a certificate of health, and that they cannot reach Sydney until some considerable time has elapsed—a time long enough, say some authorities, for the development of the rabies, against whose introduction the regulation was originally made. Hydrophobia is so terrible a thing that we are justified in taking all reasonable precautions, and lovers of dogs would be amongst the first to insist upon these. But there is such a thing as being cautious overmuch, and our correspondents urge that this quarantining for six months is a case in point. Twenty years ago there was an alarm caused by the report that a case of hydrophobia had occurred in New South Wales. Some authorities doubted the truth of the report, but the Government, resolved to be sure rather than sorry, issued the order of which complaint is now again made, an order which was subsequently made to apply to all the colonies. It did not matter whether the dogs came out in a steamship which occupied weeks in making the voyage, or in a sailing vessel which occupied months; when they reached Australia they had to be isolated for six months, at considerable expense to the importer. Undoubtedly the regulation has had the effect of keeping up the standard of imported dogs; it would not have been worth while to import any but the best in the circumstances. On the other hand, it has practically confined the business, or the pleasure, of importing dogs to the wealthy classes; a poor man could not afford the luxury. All things considered, it would certainly be injudicious to lessen the quarantine without duly weighing all the difficulties. We must keep out hydrophobia, and it is to our interest to prevent the influx of dogs of doubtful pedigree. But surely we could do that without imposing so long a period of quarantine.

"Our Railways."—We publish to-day the eleventh of the series of articles on "Our Railways." It deals with railway men, their life and work.

"Life in London."—In his chronicles of "Life in London," published to-day, Mr. Lucy deals with Lord Rosebery and his relations to the Liberal party, the war, British trade, political rumours, and other matters.

Income and Land Tax Returns.—To-day is the last day for lodging income tax returns and land tax mortgage returns. Taxpayers are specially reminded that they incur a penalty of £20 unless their returns are furnished to the Commissioners of Taxation within the prescribed time.

The Federal Capital.—The State Premier yesterday received a message from Melbourne stating that the members of the Federal Senate were desirous of visiting the sites, one of which it had been proposed by the State Government should be set apart for the purpose of a federal capital. Mr. See at once proceeded to make the necessary arrangements, and placed himself in communication with the Railway Commissioners. Mr. See says that he will be happy to assist the members of the Senate in every way possible.

Island News.—The schooner Aola, which last night anchored in Watson's Bay from the Solomon Islands, reported that a white man connected with one of the recruiting vessels had been killed by the natives.

Supreme Court Sittings.—The Christmas law vacation terminates to-day, and on Monday next the sittings in the various jurisdictions of the Supreme Court—except Divorce—will be resumed. In the absence of the Chief Justice Mr. Justice Stephen will preside in the Full Court, which will commence the first Term of the year, for the consideration of appeals and other matters. The list, swelled as it is by remanets from last year, is fairly heavy, and includes five reserved judgments. A case involving the question of sealed stores is down for argument, and it is probable that in the supplementary appeals which will be added during the progress of the Term a case will be submitted bearing upon a recent dispute as to the liability for inward wharfage dues on goods discharged from a vessel into a lighter while such vessel is lying alongside a wharf. There is only one motion on notice, also nine motions, the majority of which are applications for prohibition, four motions nisi for new trials, seven new trial motions, nine demurrers and special cases, and one District Court and one Equity appeal. The hearing of the Darling Harbour wharfs resumption cases will be continued before Mr. Justice Cohen and two District Court Judges—the part heard appeal of Robert Reid and Co., Limited, v. Minister for Works, being, of course, first in the list—and there are only four matters altogether to be decided. The business of the Equity Court consists of about 20 suits, 12 of which are new, and the work before the Bankruptcy jurisdiction is up to the usual average. The criminal sessions will also be opened on Monday at Darlinghurst before Mr. Acting-Justice Pring, and the cases for trial number nine.

Canadian-Australian Royal Mail Line.—The Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, managing agents for the Canadian-Australian royal mail line, advise that in future the steamers will call at Fiji en route to and from Canada. The altered service will be inaugurated with the Aorangi, leaving Sydney on Monday, the 24th instant; and the Miowera, leaving Vancouver on Friday, March 7, to be followed by the other vessels of the line every 28 days thereafter. The alteration in the service is under contract with the Government of Fiji, and will afford tourists an agreeable break in the journey across the Pacific.

Death of Mr. William Scholes.—An old and respected resident of Balmain, in the person of Mr. William Scholes, sen., died at his residence, Walworth, Ballast Point-road, Balmain, on Wednesday. The deceased, who was in his eighty-ninth year, was a native of London, where he was born in 1813. In 1853 he came to New South Wales, and soon after arriving in the State he became associated with St. Philip's Church, Church Hill, as verger and clerk, positions which were retained by him until about 20 years ago. The funeral took place on Thursday and was attended by a large number of deceased's relatives and friends. At deceased's residence a short service was conducted by the Rev. W. J. Cakebread, rector of St. John's, Balmain North, who also officiated at the graveside. A number of wreaths were placed on the coffin.

Chinese New Year's Day.—Yesterday being the recognised Chinese New Year's Eve various preparations were made by the Chinese population of the city to celebrate in fitting manner the opening of the New Year. Soon after midnight the customary celebrations in the form of the discharge of fireworks and other signals of rejoicing and goodwill, took place in the vicinity of Goulburn-street, and the lower portion of Pitt and Castlereagh streets. To-day the celebration of the birth of another year will be carried out by the Chinese population.

It is announced that from Monday next the steamers from Mosman Bay and Neutral Bay will run to and from No. 3 jetty.

The Railway Commissioners notify that an improved Sunday service will be run on the Long Bay line, commencing from to-morrow, and an improved week-day service on the Willoughby line, commencing from Monday next.

Mr. Perry (Minister for Education), accompanied by Mr. Kidd (Minister for Mines and Agriculture), will leave for the Richmond River next Thursday. The trip will occupy about 10 days, and will include a visit to the Wollongbar Experimental Farm.

On Tuesday and Wednesday next round trips will be run between Sydney and Windsor. Excursionists making the trip on Tuesday should leave Sydney by the 9.5 a.m. train (8.50 a.m. from Milson's Point) for Hawkesbury railway station, where the steamer General Gordon will be in waiting to take passengers up the river to Windsor, connecting at the latter place with the 7.27 p.m. train, reaching Sydney at 9.5 p.m. On Wednesday, the 12th instant, the round trip will be made in the reverse direction, passengers travelling by the train leaving Sydney at 9.25 a.m., and joining the General Gordon at Windsor, connecting at the latter place with the 6.35 p.m. train from Hawkesbury River, due at Sydney at 8.5 p.m.

Mr. Broughton, M.L.A. for King Division, has forwarded to Mr. G. H. Reid, the Federal member for East Sydney, statistics showing the business transacted at the Castlereagh-street Post-office, which it is alleged the Federal Postmaster-General intends shortly to abolish.

In reply to the statement made at the meeting of the Anti-war League on Thursday night by Mr. A. B. Griffith, M.L.A., that the prime movers in the outcry against the establishment of the league were ex-members of Parliament who had been rejected by their constituencies, it may be stated that Dr. Creed, although he has been in Parliament, was never rejected, and Mr. G. E. Russell-Jones was never in Parliament.

In the "Government Gazette" issued yesterday it is notified that Mr. Frederick William Todhunter, J.P., has been appointed an additional district trustee of the Parramatta branch of the Savings Bank of New South Wales.

The meeting of the School of Arts Debating Club was held last Thursday evening, Mr. F. E. Bright, vice-president, being in the chair. Mr. R. Wilson moved,—"That the prominence given ...

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sport in Australia is detrimental to the national character." Mr. W. H. Waldon opposed the motion, and Messrs. B. J. Connolly, J. Jones, H. Tennant-Donaldson, A. Marks, J. A. Hendry, C. Olly, A. Shortland, N. Bonall, Thomas Kohen, and D. Hope-Johnston spoke. The mover having replied, the motion was carried by a majority of 40.

At the Queen's Hall, Pitt-street, on Wednesday last, Mr. Leonard Green, of the Temperance and General Mutual Life Association, was presented with a handsome marble clock won in an office competition for all-round work. Mr. F. J. Hart, resident secretary, made the presentation, and expressed his appreciation of Mr. Green's efforts on behalf of the society.

In connection with the Students' Christian Union and the universal day of prayer a meeting will be held at the University on Sunday afternoon.

The Rev. T. W. Dunn will begin a series of sermons to young men in Newtown Presbyterian Church to-morrow.

The sixth annual meeting of the Sydney Jewish Aid Society will be held in the Great Synagogue-chambers to-morrow.

At the Psychic Society's rooms to-morrow evening Mr. Harwood will deliver a lecture on "The Gains of Spiritualism."

During some excavation work yesterday at the rear of Messrs. Hardy Brothers' premises in Hunter-street, a portion of a rough bridge at one time spanning the Tank Stream at the spot was unearthed. The iron-bark logs were as sound almost as the day they were first laid.

ONE OF AUSTRALIA'S SOLDIERS

WHAT A COLONIAL OFFICER MAY DO.

THE JAPANESE AND THEIR MILITARY SYSTEM.

"THE ENGLISH OF THE EAST."

Included in the long list of officers who called upon the Federal Commandant (Sir E. T. H. Hutton) was Lieutenant-Colonel J. J. Byron, R.A.A., of Queensland, a gentleman who has done excellent work during the last few years for his State and consequently for the Commonwealth of Australia. A "Herald" reporter was given the opportunity of a few minutes' conversation with Colonel Byron shortly after his formal call upon General Hutton. Military men nowadays are very chary in the matter of giving information for publication, and it would seem that the spirit of Kipling's eulogy upon Lord Roberts has run throughout the service to an extent which the public would wish curtailed. Of course, the words referred to are these, "And he doesn't 'advertise.'" So with Colonel Byron the reporter met difficulties. However, a plain question was put, and in blunt, soldier-like fashion, the colonel said:—

"Well, the last three years have been particularly interesting to me because just about three years ago I went to the Philippines and had an opportunity of seeing the operations of the American army there. It was an opportunity which no soldier would like to have missed, for it gave one the chance of witnessing the actual work in the field of men who are practically our own kith and kin, and who are there engaged in the work which soldiers of the British Empire have been engaged in any time during the last 100 years. Of course, I mean the work of carrying civilisation to the dark places of the earth. I had been sent on a special mission to Japan from Queensland, and I called at the Philippines on the way, and I would like to say that the friendliness extended to me by the Americans was something I never shall forget. Their open-hearted hospitality and the ever-present suggestion of something like a 'brotherhood in arms' was apparent at every point.

"From the Philippines I went to Hongkong, where I was happy to renew acquaintanceships formed some years previously with men who had become old friends—particularly in the Royal Artillery.

"Thence I went to Japan, where I spent some little time making it my business to study the military organisation of that Empire.

"The Japanese pride themselves upon being the 'English of the East,' and they gave me every facility for studying their military system from the training of the recruit or cadet right up to the making of the efficient soldier or officer.

"It may be of interest to Australians—of whom I am one—to know that the Japanese pay special attention to our military strength and resources, and you may judge of my surprise when a Japanese officer who had been told off to accompany me around casually remarked, and, in perfect English, 'I noticed you were at the Sydney encampment at Rookwood this year!'

"To me it appeared evident that the Australian newspapers—or rather the military information contained in them—are very carefully perused in Japan, and whatever facts or statements are published here relative to our military resources or strength are noted with sedulous attention, and carefully filed for reference in the future if necessary.

"From Japan I went to Canada, and through the courtesy of General Hutton was enabled to study the military organisation of the Dominion, in regard to which his influence was becoming very apparent. On arriving in England I took the opportunity of attending the artillery manoeuvres at Salisbury Plains, which during that year, 1899, were held on an unprecedentedly large scale.

"Proceeding afterwards to Switzerland—to the Government of which country I was formally accredited by the British War Office—for their annual army manoeuvres, and it certainly struck me at the time—and subsequent thought has deepened the impression—that there is much in the Swiss system that might with advantage be adopted in Australia.

"Returning from Switzerland I was just in time to go to South Africa as a special service officer at the beginning of the Boer war, and to be present during the fierce fighting on the western line following upon Lord Methuen's advance for the relief of Kimberley. After Magersfontein I was appointed A.D.C. to Lord Roberts, with whom I remained from the time when he took command of the forces until his advance from Bloemfontein. A few weeks later I was knocked over by enteric fever, and eventually was invalided to England, but in response to a cable message, I rejoined Lord Roberts on his arrival at Southampton and accompanied him in the procession through London. Having been presented to the Duke of Cornwall and York (now the Prince of Wales) by the Duke of Connaught, his Royal Highness invited me to join his staff for the voyage to Australia."

THE FEDERAL CAPITAL SITE.

TOUR OF INSPECTION BY SENATORS

PROGRAMME OF THE TOUR.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Members of the Senate, forming with a few members of the House of Representatives and officials, a party of about 50, will commence a tour of inspection of suggested sites for the Federal capital on Wednesday next. Sir William Lyne has arranged the following itinerary of the tour:—

Leave Melbourne by special train on Tuesday, February 11.

Reach Albury next day and inspect the site there.

Leave for Wagga, which will be reached at 4 p.m., and make the inspection the same evening.

Travel during the night to Gundagai, driving to Tumut, a distance of 28 miles, in time for breakfast on the morning of Thursday, 13th.

Tumut will be inspected during the day, and return to Gundagai in time for dinner in the evening.

Journey to Yass on the same night, reaching that place on the morning of the 14th.

After making an inspection there go on to Goulburn, reaching that town in the afternoon.

Leaving for Orange the same night Orange will be inspected on the 15th, and the party will travel to Armidale.

Arrive Armidale on Sunday evening. Monday will be spent in looking around the proposed site at Armidale.

The train will be taken that evening for Lake George, where the party will land on Tuesday morning, and make an inspection of that site.

A start will then be made for Cooma, where Senators will arrive on Wednesday, 19th. Coach will be taken to Dalgety, where the night will be spent.

Next day the journey to Bombala will be resumed and the town reached on the same day, and the inspection will be made on the 21st.

The steamer Victoria will be sent to Twofold Bay to pick up those who wish to drive from Bombala to Eden on Saturday 22nd. Others will be able to return on that day for Cooma to take the train to their homes.

A visit to Bathurst has not been arranged for; but if the people there want an inspection made time may be found on Saturday evening after leaving Orange.

The Carcoar-Garland site might be visited before reaching Orange.

Sir William Lyne has telegraphed to the Mayors of the various towns interested, who will make the local arrangements. Mr. See has arranged with the New South Wales Railway Commissioners for the necessary special trains. Sir William Lyne will accompany Senators as far as Tumut, all places inspected up to that being in his electorate.

PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD IN SYDNEY.

A public meeting will be held in the Town Hall at 3 p.m. on Thursday to urge upon the Federal Parliament the necessity of bringing the federal site question to a definite issue. The meeting is the outcome of a request made to the Mayor by Mr. E. H. Rogers, president of the Chamber of Commerce, on behalf of that and the following organisations:—Australian Federal League, Chamber of Manufactures, Institute of Architects, Chamber of Mines, Institute of Surveyors, Master Builders' Association, Brickmasters' Association, Pastoralists' Union, Warehousemen's Association, Underwriters' Association, Associated General Merchants and Importers, Steamship Owners' Association, and the Royal Society.

ARRANGEMENTS AT ORANGE.

ORANGE, Friday.

A meeting of residents will be held to-morrow to arrange for the reception of Senators when visiting Orange in connection with the selection of the federal capital site.

OUR RAILWAYS.

HOW THEY HAVE GROWN.

HOW THEY ARE WORKED AND THE MEN WHO WORK THEM.

XI.

RAILWAY MEN.

THEIR LIFE AND WORK.

The term "railway men" has a wide scope. It includes the Commissioner and the fettler, the traffic manager and the porter, the scientific man who designs engines and the cleaner who cleans them, the man who administers a department and the man who keeps a length of the permanent way in order, not to mention all sorts of tradesmen to be found in the workshops. The railway service is a constantly growing one, and to reach a high position in it is an honourable achievement for a life's work. There are many clever men in the department, and as promotion is by merit the competition is severe. Further, owing to the high standard of the N.S.W. G.R. (letters to be seen on all the rolling stock) some of the most capable men of England enter into competition with the local men for positions of responsibility. As a result we have one of the finest organisations to be found anywhere. The railway service already rivals the public service in the estimation of the people, and as the time goes on and the country becomes covered with iron roads, both the size and the quality of the staff must increase very greatly. Railway work is a science, or rather a group of sciences, and in years to come the N.S.W. G.R. will be a field in which there will be great scope for ambitious and capable men. The service is one which includes many spheres, and which gives more play to individual ability than might appear at first sight. Everything is of course subject to the Commissioners, but in such a great concern much devolves not only upon the administrative heads of the departments, but upon the actual workers who have opportunities of showing their capacity. The service is one in which emergencies arise, and the man on the spot can show whether he is equal to the occasion. In this connection we may tell the story of a man who some years ago was "on the spot," and although he had no opportunity of displaying heroism showed that he was a man for an emergency. The story is that of a man who will not talk about what he has done; for, as he explains, the light of press publicity shone on him with such a fierce glare on the occasion referred to that he is satisfied for life. The case was as follows:—

THE MAN WHO DID.

Driver Jack was upon the footplate, one hand on the lever, looking ahead, as the mail train swept round a curve in the grey of the morning.

Suddenly came a grinding sound from the rear of the train. Almost as suddenly Driver Jack had reversed engines and put on his air brakes, and the train, or what was left of it, came to a sudden standstill.

The last half of the train had left the rails, and in the space of a few dreadful seconds the carriages had been ground to pieces against the side of a jaggy rocky cutting. Many were dead and many were terribly injured. Frightened men and hysterical women climbed out of the cars that had escaped.

Driver Jack stepped down from the footplate and went to the wrecked carriages. Angry words were rolling out of his mouth till he reached the wreck and the mangled people beneath. But he had a heart of gold and a will of iron, and the moment he spoke the group of dazed bystanders felt that the master had come. He was for the time King de facto by the divine right of fitness, and the survivors instinctively followed the lead of the man who could—and would.

"Come on, you, and you, and you," he said, as he picked out the likeliest-looking passengers and formed them into gangs and set them to work pulling away the debris and getting the dead and injured out.

Driver Jack went down to it. He was an ambulance man. The dead he passed on one side. The living he tended gently and skilfully. It was wonderful how he improvised splints and bandages, how he bound up gaping wounds and straightened out poor broken and twisted limbs and put them into splints, how he stopped the bleeding, and moved mangled forms with tenderness and care. He never had a tremor of nerve, never had to stop to think what to do, but just did it, and worked along in a businesslike confident way that put heart and hope into many a pain-racked body.

While he was at work one of the passengers approached him.

"Cannot I help?" he asked.

Driver Jack sized him up at a glance.

"Yes," he said, "You stand back and keep the women back."

The passenger did as he was told.

"He is a very influential member of Parliament," whispered one of the workers to Jack.

"Doesn't matter," said Driver Jack.

By the time the relief train came Driver Jack had sorted out the dead and straightened out the living, and off they were taken to the nearest town.

Then Jack went back to the footplate and took his engine on.

He was in the Redfern yard last week.

"That's the driver who straightened them all up in the —— disaster," said a railway man to the writer. "He's the man to have with you in a tight place."

NOT ON THE SPOT.

On the other hand there is a man high up in the service who has risen because he was fortunate enough not to be on the spot. He sat in the stationmaster's room of an important station, and his thoughts went back to early days. Those were days when traffic over the mountains was worked on a system and under conditions that left rather too much uncertainty as to whether after you set out with a train you would get to the other side without something happening. Some of the men would not tackle the mountain work at all, and, if all the accounts be true, there were stirring episodes of which the public never heard. He was then a guard, and one day before he was to leave with a mountain train, he received orders to take charge of a train in which a Ministerial party was to proceed in another direction. Another guard took charge of the mountain train, and was killed in an accident. And if our friend the stationmaster had been in the van he must inevitably have perished too. However, on subsequent occasions he was "on the spot" in a more fortunate sense, and he finds more comfort in being in charge of a station than he did in being in charge of mountain trains under primitive conditions.

THE KEEPERS OF THE WAY.

The safety of the travelling public depends largely upon the care with which the men of the permanent way attend to their duties. Signals and points may be right, the line may be clear of other trains, the driving may be perfect, but a rail out of place or a line out of its parallel ruins all. Hence we have a large staff of permanent way men to keep the iron road in order. These men have to see that the way is safe and every part of the line comes under constant supervision. After the road is laid, lined, graded and boxed up with ballast, the permanent way is perfect, but labour is necessary to keep it so. Though our lines are well constructed, they are not all through sound country. In some places there are soft clay cuttings and the banks are slippery, so that rain brings down loose stuff. Owing to the ballast being forced into the soft formation the road goes down and the soft soil is forced up between the sleepers. These soft places are promptly dealt with by the fettlers, who remove the soft wet clay and fill it in with stones, forming a sounder foundation. The road is then repacked, and for a time the trouble at that particular spot is over. With a new line the first thing the permanent way men do is to find out the weak spots. Although for some years no renewals may be necessary, there is constant work for fettlers in keeping the road to the proper level and attending to soft places. Where the road is forced down the "slacks" have to be lifted out and the road again packed to the proper level. Then the fastenings which hold the rail firmly embedded on the sleepers have to be watched, for if the timber is of indifferent quality they work up, and as the rail has not a firm bed the road "runs badly." The rails being free to creep do so and fill up the spaces left for expansion at the joints. Thus the rails butt close and, with the first hot weather, expand and buckle out the line. To avoid this serious result the fastenings must have constant supervision and be regularly driven or screwed home. The permanent way man has a ceaseless round of work, and the older the line becomes the more there is to do. Fastenings require more attention and sleepers must be watched for signs of decay. The road has to be lifted up, the ballast loosened and repacked, thus restoring some of its original elasticity, and giving a new lease of life to the materials. A time comes, however, when renewals begin. Where sleepers begin to decay new ones are put in and resleepering becomes continuous. Thus the road is kept in order all the time, and the cost is distributed over a number of years. As the rails go they have to be renewed in like manner. So the round of the fettlers' work once finished is ready to be begun again.

AN HONOURABLE SERVICE.

All railway work is constant. Lines are always being put in repair, rolling stock is always being built, and trains are always running. Conditions are ever changing, and one improvement follows closely on the heels of another. We have to keep up with the advance of the times and with the growing production of the country, and we have to pay interest on the millions of money invested. Upon everyone of our railway men depends the success of this great national asset, both as an investment and as a means of developing the great natural resources of New South Wales. Thus beyond the drudgery and oftentimes the danger of railway life, our railway men may see that they are taking a particularly honourable part in the work of the world, and the familiar letters N.S.W.G.R. may well be viewed with feelings of pride.

Former articles were published as follows:—No. 1, "The New Station and the Origin of the Service," Monday, January 13; No. 2, "Laying the First Line," Wednesday, January 15; No. 3, "The Period of Political Control," Saturday, January 18; No. 4, "The System of Non-Political Control," Monday, January 20; No. 5, "Reforms Introduced by Railway Commissioners," Wednesday, January 22; No. 6, "Some Aspects of Railway Life," Saturday, January 25; No. 7, "The Goods Department," Monday, January 27; No. 8, "The Locomotive Sheds," Wednesday, January 29; No. 9, "The Stores Branch," Monday, February 3; No. 10, "The Carriage Shops," Wednesday, February 5.

THE UNITED STATES.

THE SPANISH WAR.

GERMANY TRIES TO PROVE HER FRIENDSHIP.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Publicists in Berlin are strenuously endeavouring to convince Americans that it was Germany and not Great Britain which prevented a European coalition in favour of Spain on the eve of the Spanish-American war.

Americans look upon the statements with scepticism.

TERRIBLE GAS EXPLOSIONS.

THIRTEEN PERSONS KILLED.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

Explosions of gas occurred under pavements at Chicago. Some buildings were wrecked, and 13 persons were killed.

LIFE ON A ROYAL YACHT.

AN "ALL-RED" CRUISE.

OUR FUTURE KING AT HIS EASE.

A TYPICAL BRITISH SAILOR.

The return of the R.M.S. Ophir to Australian waters recalls her last visit when she came here as a Royal yacht conveying the Duke and the Duchess of Cornwall and York, who were then on their memorable "all-red" voyage round the world.

A gentleman who had the honour of accompanying the Royal party on that tour of the Empire when chatting with a representative of the "Herald" gave the following interesting description of life on board the Royal yacht:—

"The apartments of the Duke and the Duchess and their suite were situated practically amidships, and the space which when the ship was merely a liner was utilised as a second saloon was allotted to the wardroom officers. What I would call a leading feature of the tour was the fact that pretty nearly everyone on board, so far as the Royal suite and, indeed, the Royal Naval officers were concerned—and you must remember that, practically, on this occasion the Ophir was a ship of the Royal Navy—seemed to have been specially selected as being persons of amiable character, and that you can readily understand is no small consideration when it is remembered that the ship's company were to be together for a period of something like eight months. I may say at once that the selection was thorough, and everybody throughout that long cruise kept upon the best of terms right along to the conclusion.

"Our future King is a thorough sailor, of the same type as the many naval officers we are all familiar with. Added to his natural geniality he has, of course, what is now known in England as 'the Royal memory,' memory for names and faces, and, whilst in conversation a remarkable vivacity ——"

In this connection the reporter interpolated a little experience of his own, and remarked that when his Royal Highness was visiting Garden Island only a few short months ago his attention was drawn to an old gentleman present, and stepping forward he said, "Have I not had the pleasure of meeting you before?" The answer was, "Yes, your Royal Highness, I was a quarter-master on H.M.S. Bacchante." That was the ship in which the present Prince of Wales first visited Australia. Upon this the Prince warmly shook hands with the veteran tar, and for quite a considerable time chatted with him, recalling pleasurable incidents of that cruise.

Continuing the narrative the gentleman interviewed said:—"The Prince of Wales dearly loves a joke, and has the free open manners which are regarded as typical of the British sailor. He is credited with much more than ordinary professional ability as a seaman, and that, you may remember, was always said of his uncle, the late Duke of Edinburgh. The Prince frequently remarks in a laughing kind of way that he is not a good sailor, but truth compels me to say that I never knew him to miss a meal on the Ophir throughout that long cruise, and we had some weather, too, which would have induced any but the 'sea-hardened sailor' to 'seek the seclusion which the cabin grants.'

"It was the first real voyage undertaken by the Princess of Wales, and she is not a very good sailor—or sailoress. I'm afraid she did not always enjoy the vagaries of Father Neptune.

"Her personal qualities were a source of admiration to everyone on board the ship. She was most amiable, thoughtful, and considerate in all her dealings with everybody, and from this you will understand that in my view no happier voyage could ever have been made by that fine ship the Ophir.

"As a matter of fact, life at sea on board the Ophir did not materially differ from what it is on board an ordinary liner, except, of course, that for the time being the steamer was in effect a man-of-war, or, I mean, was a portion of the Royal Navy.

"At the various ports of call there were many official receptions and other functions, and a point was made of inviting as many as possible of the officers of H.M. ships St. George and Juno, which accompanied the Ophir sailing on either quarter. Concerts were frequent on board the Ophir, and also dramatic representations on a limited scale; and, so far as the musical entertainments were concerned, you will quite understand that Lady Mary Lygon's services, who is a very accomplished musician, were invaluable.

"Crossing the Equator, or, as sailors say, 'the line,' the ceremonies supposed to be due to the old sea king were most particularly carried out, and his Royal Highness was the first to pass the ordeal, although, perhaps, he should not have, for he had crossed the line several times before. Anyhow, he submitted to be duly lathered, shaved, and 'ducked' in accordance with the time-honoured custom amongst seamen. In the case of his Royal Consort Father Neptune was less exacting. He gracefully presented her with a bouquet of sea shells, and a very handsome present it was.

"In conclusion, I want to tell you that their Royal Highnesses were genuinely sorry at leaving Australia, and in the case of the Princess her regret took the womanlike form of tears.

"Privately I have heard it said that the arrangements in Australia for their Royal Highnesses were regarded by them as comparing favourably with those of which they had experience elsewhere during their extended tour."

A.N.A. PATRIOTIC DEMONSTRATION.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR MONDAY EVENING'S MEETING.

Yesterday the sub-committee of the board of directors of the Australian Natives' Association decided that for the patriotic demonstration which is to be held on Monday evening at the Town Hall the arrangements should be as follows:—The southern gallery will be reserved for ladies; the doors will be opened at 7.20, and at 7.30 Mr. A. Mason (the city organist) will go through a programme of music. The musical committee (Messrs. A. W. Cleary and J. F. Coates) have also arranged a complete programme. Mr. Harry Rickards has consented to return to Sydney to sing a song at this gathering; and Miss Jennie Opie and Mr. Howard Chambers (members of Mr. Rickards's company) will also take part. At 8 o'clock the Mayor of Sydney (Alderman T. Hughes) will take the chair, and the real business of the meeting will then commence. Five of the gentlemen who were announced as probable speakers have intimated their intention to be present, and some important addresses are likely to be delivered. Something like 800 applications have been made for platform tickets, but only 300 or 400 have been issued.

SIREN SOAP Has no Equal. SIREN SOAP, SIREN SOAP SIREN SOAP. —Advt.

SECOND EDITION.

STEAMER AND DREDGE IN COLLISION.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The steamer Barrier while going through the Hopetoun Channel at Geelong to-day came into collision with the dredge, John Nimmo, with such force that several of her plates were badly dented.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOLDFIELDS.

THE WATER SUPPLY SCHEME.

PERTH, Friday.

A big deputation representing the local authorities of Kalgoorlie and Coolgardie as well as the townships along the line, waited upon the Premier to-day to represent the urgent necessity of prosecuting the water scheme with every possible expedition. The Premier disclaimed any hostility towards the scheme and promised that he would confer with the authorities regarding reticulation, and submit a scheme for approval to the Legislative Assembly to-day.

THE GOVERNOR OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

LEAVES ENGLAND IN APRIL.

HIS OFFICERS.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Vice-Admiral Sir H. H. Rawson, the new Governor of New South Wales, starts for the State in the second week of April. He travels via America.

Sir H. H. Rawson's private secretary is Mr. W. H. Rowe, who was his private secretary when he was Senior Officer in command of the Channel Squadron; and his aide-de-camp is Major Coleman, formerly of the Intelligence Department.

THE PRINCE OF WALES.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

The Prince of Wales has been installed a Fellow of the Royal Society.

CHINA.

GERMAN CONCESSIONS IN SHANTUNG.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

The opposition which the German Government has raised to the proposal to reduce the European garrison at Tientsin and the restitution of Chinese Civil Government in the city, has enabled Germany to acquire exclusive mining rights over a large area of Shantung.

BRITISH GARRISON AT WEI-HAI-WEI WITHDRAWN.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

The "Daily Mail" states that the British Government is withdrawing the garrison from Wei-hai-wei, retaining the civil administration. The German sphere of influence interfered with the utility of the garrison.

[Wei-hai-wei, on the northern shore of the Shantung province, was acquired by Great Britain in 1898 with the object of converting it into a naval base as a counterpoise to Russia's naval base at Port Arthur, in the Leao Tong Peninsula, on the opposite shore of the Gulf of Pe-chi-li. The garrison, which consists of Chinese troops, with English officers, was commanded by Lieutenant-Colonel Bower, the explorer, but at present the position of commandant is vacant. Germany claims the Shantung province as her sphere of influence.]

CANADIAN MANUFACTURES.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

The Government of Canada will give 5000 dollars (£1000) annually towards defraying the cost of Ontario manufacturers' sample rooms in London.

THE SOUDAN.

A TRIBAL RAID.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

The Denka tribe looted a British convoy with rubber south of Khartoum and killed Lieutenant J. Scott-Barbour, of the Highland Light Infantry, during the raid.

The Denkas form a large tribe in the Soudan, and inhabit both sides of the Nile south of Khartoum. Their chief occupation is cattle-rearing, agriculture being of subordinate importance.

BULGARIA.

MINISTER OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION ASSASSINATED.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

A Macedonian assassinated M. Kautcheff, the Bulgarian Minister of Public Instruction, and then committed suicide.

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It was a disappointed university professor who murdered M. Kautcheff.

TURKEY.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Damad Mahmud Pasha, a son-in-law of the Sultan, has been sentenced to death in default of appearing at Constantinople.

Damad Mahmud Pasha was, on the demand of the Porte, expelled from Corfu at the end of last year. He was suspected of carrying on negotiations with a party in Albania which aspires to independence.

INDIAN MEMORIAL TO QUEEN VICTORIA.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Thirty lakhs of rupees (£200,000) have been promised by the people of India towards the Victoria Memorial Hall at Calcutta.

INTER-IMPERIAL TRADE.

GERMAN FEARS.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

The "Times" says that the movement for a preferential tariff within the British Empire has apparently contributed to quicken the German perception of the unwisdom of estranging the British completely.

The "Vossiche Zeitung," a Berlin organ, stated a few days ago that the acceptance of commercial reciprocity within the British Empire would injure Germany's trade with Australasia, and would lead to reprisals.

A BYE-ELECTION.

EAST DOWN SEAT.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

The polling for the election of a representative for East Down in the House of Commons, in the place of Dr. J. A. Rentoul, who has been appointed a Judge of the City of London Court, took place yesterday. Mr. Wood, a supporter of Mr. T. W. Russell's Land Purchase Bill, was returned, beating Mr. Wallace (Unionist) by 147 votes.

[Since 1890 Dr. Rentoul (Unionist) had held the seat unopposed.]

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THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

DR. KUYPER'S MISSION.

RESULTS TO BE COMMUNICATED TO BOER LEADERS.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Mr. A. J. Balfour, the First Lord of the Treasury, stated in the House of Commons last night that the Government had asked Lord Kitchener to communicate the Notes of Dr. Kuyper and Lord Lansdowne to the Boer leaders in the field.

GERMANY CONVINCED OF BRITISH DETERMINATION.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

The speech delivered by Lord Salisbury on Wednesday at the Junior Constitutional Club has convinced Germany that Great Britain does not intend to abate her demands in South Africa.

KRUGER'S CLIQUE INCENSED.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

The Kruger clique among the Boers is incensed at Dr. Kuyper's fruitless efforts for intervention in the war.

HOLLAND TIRED OF THE BOER DELEGATES.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

M. de Biowitz, the Paris correspondent of the "Times," says the opinion is gaining ground from the Note of Dr. Kuyper, Premier of the Netherlands, that he would be glad to rid Holland of the disquieting agitation by the Boer delegates.

COMMANDANT SMUTS DEGRADED.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

General Louis Botha has degraded Commandant Tobias Smuts for burning Bremersdorp. Smuts retorted that Commandant Christian Botha had offended in a similar manner and was unpunished; moreover, that General Botha had ordered Boer women to be driven to the concentration camps against their will.

[Bremersdorp is the chief town of Swaziland.]

BRITISH BARBARITIES OR BOER NECESSITIES.

CONCENTRATION CAMPS NECESSARY.

A GERMAN VIEW.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

The "National Zeitung," a Berlin journal, states that the letter from Commandant Smuts recently intercepted shows that the so-called British barbarities are sometimes regarded as Boer military necessities, thus showing the impropriety of characterising the British soldiers as murderers and farm-burners.

The letter of Commandant Smuts, the "National Zeitung" continues, also confirmed the allegation that the British were forced to establish the concentration camps for the Boer refugees.

[Part of the contents of the intercepted letter written by General Botha was reported by cable a few days ago. The letter, which was addressed to Commandant Smuts, directed him to send a waggon load of Boer women in to the British lines.]

RAIDS ON DE WET'S STORES.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

The raids on Commandant de Wet's numerous stores of grain are proving a worse blow to him than the blockhouses, as the absence of food prevents prolonged concentration of his forces.

CAPTURES OF BOTHA'S MEN.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir H. S. Rawlinson has captured 30 of the commando of General Botha.

EUROPEAN REINFORCEMENTS FOR THE BOERS.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Seventy Europeans recently joined General Louis Botha. They travelled through Zululand to his headquarters, and brought with them a new heliograph.

LORD METHUEN'S CONVOY.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

Mr. Bennet Burleigh, the war correspondent of the "Daily Telegraph," states that recently Lord Methuen, marching on a dark night and being indifferently led, moved in a circle and captured his own convoy.

LOSSES FOR THE CAMPAIGN.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

The total British losses for the campaign to the end of January, including deaths from disease, were:—

Officers	965
Non-commissioned officers and men ..	24,340
Total	25,305

NEW SOUTH WALES CASUALTY.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Private W. C. Jackson, of the 3rd New South Wales Mounted Rifles, has died of enteric fever at Bloemfontein.

BUSHMEN FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

WAGGA, Friday.

Some time ago Major the Hon. Rupert Carrington, brother of Lord Carrington, and son-in-law of Mr. R. F. Horsfall, Widgera station, sent an intimation to Mr. Horsfall that he desired to strengthen the regiment he commanded with a force of 150 Riverina bushmen, and that this request had the sanction of Lord Kitchener. Mr. Horsfall entrusted the task of selecting the required number of men to Lieutenant Taylor, officer commanding the Wagga Volunteer Company, and Lieutenant Taylor is making arrangements to visit Riverina centres. None but the best type of bushmen, whose character and proficiency as horsemen and shots can be vouched for, will be taken. No difficulty is anticipated in procuring the men. The term of service will be for one year, and pay will commence from the day of sailing. Equipment will be provided in South Africa.

A minute from his Excellency the Governor-General asks the Prime Minister to provide transport accommodation for the force in vessels conveying the Second Contingent about the end of this month. The Commonwealth Government is not asked to assume any further responsibility beyond providing camping accommodation and rations at the port of embarkation till the transports sail. It is understood that Lieutenant Taylor will proceed with the force to South Africa.

THE COLONIAL CHARGE ON IMPERIAL WAR ACCOUNTS.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

It is stated that the proposal to charge the British Government 3 per cent. in connection with the Imperial Contingents raised for service in South Africa was first brought under the notice of the South Australian Government in a note from the Premier of New South Wales, dated October 23, and enclosing a communication from Mr. Chamberlain dated August 22. This shows that an application for the payment of commission was made by New South Wales as long ago as last March. The Secretary of State for the Colonies stated that his Majesty's Government agreed to the proposal, and asked that the other Australian Governments should be informed of the decision.

BLACKHEATH, Friday.

The news of the death of Quartermaster-Sergeant W. S. Cripps at Heilbron, South Africa, on the second instant, of enteric fever, was received with much regret here this morning. The late Mr. Cripps had been a resident of Blackheath for a number of years. He went out in the early part of the war as a private, and was at the time of his death serving for the second time.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

HOUSE OF COMMONS' PROCEDURE.

SECOND READING DEBATE.

ALLEGED EFFORT TO DISFRANCHISE IRELAND.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

In the House of Commons last night the second reading of the Procedure Bill for reforming the procedure of the House of Commons was moved.

Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman, the leader of the Opposition, moved as an amendment that the bill be referred to a select committee for consideration and report.

Mr. Chamberlain, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, opposed the amendment on the ground that a reference of the bill to a select committee would occasion the delay of a year. He pointed out that the drastic procedure reforms introduced by Mr. Gladstone in 1882 were considered by the House.

Mr. J. Redmond, the leader of the Nationalists, taunted the House of Commons with increasing in creeping paralysis. He said that there were no penalties to suppress the Nationalists. The protests of the oppressor and the disfranchisement of Ireland were the only alternatives to Home Rule. Apparently the new rules were designed to secure the disfranchisement of his country.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

Miss Nance O'Neill, the actress, who recently toured Australasia, has taken the Lyceum Theatre, London.

Miss Nance O'Neill, after closing her long Australian tour with Mr. M'Kee Rankin at Perth (W.A.), sailed direct for South Africa. Since arriving there, the American tragedienne has probably altered her plans. Writing from Durban to the musical and dramatic critic of the "Herald," under date December 6, Mr. Thomas Kingston stated that the company would not leave Capetown until March 3, and would then appear at Cairo and Alexandria. Miss Nance O'Neill then intended securing a London theatre for a season in September.

THE FEDERAL CONTINGENTS.

INSPECTION BY MAJOR-GENERAL HUTTON.

REPUTATIONS TO MAINTAIN.

A CRITICAL EXAMINATION.

Major-General Sir Edward Hutton, G.O.C., devoted two hours yesterday to a careful and minute inspection—"inspection" in the true sense of the word—of the troops about to proceed to South Africa on active service. The camp of the first battalion of the First Federal Contingent on the old Rifle Range at Paddington looked spick and span, and every effort appeared to have been made by officers and men to ensure the General's satisfaction and commendation.

It was nearly half-past 11 when he put in an appearance on horseback, accompanied by Brigadier-General Finn (State Commandant), Captain Dangar, A.D.C., and Lieutenant Christian, R.A.A. He was received by Lieutenant-Colonel Lyster (O.C.), Major J. H. Lee (second in command), and the other staff officers of the battalion. A detachment of 50 N.Cs. and men of B Company, in review order, with bandoliers, and under Captain Forrest, formed a guard of honour. The G.O.C. first turned his attention on this body of troops. Dismounting, he walked down the rank slowly, scrutinising each man and his equipment.

A query or two as to why they were not armed with the latest pattern of rifle, and then suddenly to the buglers, "Don't move; stand quite still!" He followed the interjection up with a little homily to the guard, one or two of whom were also wavering.

"I want you to thoroughly understand," said Sir Edward, "what attention means, and how vastly important it is to you soldiers. When you are at 'attention' you should stand absolutely still, because it involves great principles. In a critical moment when men are getting knocked about and the bullets are flying thick, it is the very time when the soldier should be on his mettle and remain steady, awaiting the next word of command or order whatever may happen. By observing this word always you will find when a crisis comes that the men are thoroughly in hand, and are ready for anything. Don't make a mistake about that."

The General next interrogated each officer of the staff on matters appertaining to his department. Then he visited the lines, starting with A Company, in marching order, and standing alongside their saddled horses. He seemed instinctively to single out the returned soldiers, notwithstanding that a number were not wearing their war ribbon. He commented on this, and recommended them to show the colours. To each the G.O.C. had a few kindly and cheering words to offer—words that will linger long in the memory of many a veteran, gladdened at having them addressed to him by a famous soldier.

Regarding the clothing of the men, Sir Edward was very particular.

"How many pair of breeches have you got?" he remarked to a non-com.

"Only one pair, sir."

To Colonel Lyster: "Don't you give them two pair?"

"No; only one. They have dungarees on board ship."

"Have you seen service?" to a sergeant.

"Yes, sir; been in China."

"The Australian Bushman rarely knows what a good saddle is," he pointed out to an officer as they examined the big military saddles; "he rides the most awful trash."

"Where are you from?" to a lieutenant.

"From the Riverina, sir; Hay, Deniliquin, and Narrandera."

"Would it be possible to raise a squadron of men out there?"

"I think so, sir."

"That is the 'A' Battery cook," said one of his A.D.Cs. as they approached the galley.

"As long as you feed your men well," added the General after inquiries into the cooking arrangements, "they will always fight well."

Stopping in front of another private, he said, "I seem to know your face."

"Yes, sir," replied the man proudly; "I was your groom while we were attached to you over there."

The G.O.C. smiled, and muttered approvingly, "Good man."

"Good gracious! I know you. Your name is ——," interjected Sir Edward to a non-com. in C company. "Going out again?"

"Yes, sir," replied the "A" Battery driver.

"Well, I hope you can shoot as well as you can drive."

A pale-faced youth caught his eye. "You look bad. Don't go if you feel ill. Where from?"

"Sydney," said the youngster. "I've been in the bush, but latterly have worked in an office."

"What is your occupation?"

"I've been cattle-driving."

"What station?"

"Driving from Canterbury to Cook's River." Several officers suppressed a laugh.

The Queenslanders' lines were lasted inspected. The men wore their khaki great coats and dungarees beneath. Many sun-tanned veterans were in their ranks, and General Hutton appeared to be delighted with their physique.

"What is your profession?" to a hardy-looking Northerner.

The Brisbane man (with a broad grin): "Oh, generally knockin' about."

"Can you cook a damper?" to one of the Queensland cooks. The man's smile was sufficient. "And you?" "Been cooking on a station." "That's the sort of fellow we want."

The foregoing will give a general idea of the cross-examination the men were submitted to.

ADDRESS BY THE GENERAL.

THE AUSTRALIAN'S INDIVIDUALITY—HIS POWER.

The four companies were formed up in a hollow square, officers taking post, and addressed by Major-General Hutton as follows:—

"Colonel Lyster and First Battalion of the Australian Contingent,—I congratulate you, colonel, and your officers on having a very fine veteran battalion, and I am well assured that you and your men will maintain that very high standard which has been achieved by our Australian soldiers in South Africa. That is a very great responsibility resting with you and the men. Never forget that your honour is our honour in Australia. What you do in South Africa we watch with the greatest interest; and every honour you achieve, all the credit you gain for good discipline, for good order in your quarters and lines and on the field, will re-act and be felt throughout Australia.

"One or two little things I want to warn you of, I, like the most of you, have campaigned in South Africa, and I want you to make the younger hands who are going out for the first time to understand that which we know so well, that the power of our colonial mounted troops and their value as troops in the field do not consist in their marksmanship, nor in their horsemanship, but in their very strong individuality. That is the power which our men possess, but individuality is absolutely valueless unless it is combined with strict discipline, not that of the barrack square, of pipeclay and closed heels, but amongst the men themselves. You are going to maintain the prestige of the British name, and I appeal to the men in the ranks to insist upon preserving this discipline."

"Recollect," continued the General, "that there are two formations in which you mounted men are required to fight. One is in close formation, when you are under the direct eye and command of your officers, when we want precision and steadiness, cohesion and discipline. The other formation depends entirely upon the men themselves, and it is the great and strong individuality which you Australians have so conspicuously, which, combined with discipline, makes you in that form of fighting the most important element you are. I shall not see you again before you embark, and all I can do is to wish you hearty good luck and to hope that you, if Providence wills it, or as many as Providence spares, will come back and contribute to the military forces of the Commonwealth."

At the conclusion of the G.O.C.'s remarks there was a great outburst of applause from the troops and the crowd of civilians present. Turning round to the men he administered a mild rebuke, and told them that he did not want to be applauded, and there was no occasion for it.

THE SECOND CONTINGENT.

The General then passed into the Agricultural Ground, where the "raw material" which is to compose the State's quota of the second Federal Contingent was drawn up in line in the arena. As he went down the ranks he singled out various men and plied them with questions concerning their careers in similar manner to what he did the first. The majority of the volunteers were dressed in private clothes. The horses already obtained for this contingent were next inspected. They were walked round the ring, and, as the result of the General's critical eye, about 10 were put to one side.

RECRUITING FOR THE SECOND CONTINGENT.

The New South Wales quota of the Second Federal Contingent is rapidly filling up. Thirty-two additional men were attested yesterday by Major Boam, D.A.A.G. In the medical examination 28 candidates passed and nine failed. The shooting test resulted in 26 passing and four failing, whilst in the riding a batch of 19 were all successful. Several shoeing smiths are wanted for the contingent. Further applicants will be examined by the doctors to-day and on Monday. A camp concert was held in the arena of the Agricultural Ground last night, and was well patronised.

The undermentioned were attached for duty with the Second Commonwealth Contingent yesterday:—Acting Lieutenant A. P. Macafee, Acting Lieutenant J. P. Kelman, Acting Lieutenant G. G. Cory.

POSTED TO COMPANIES.

The following men, having passed all tests, were yesterday attested, and regimental numbers allotted as under:—

B COMPANY

1663 DOUGLAS, R.

C COMPANY

1728 CORBY, L. M.	1729 WHEREATT, A. C.
1730 PARKHILL, R.	1731 DUNSMORE, W.
1732 BURKE, M. J.	1733 ROBINSON, W. O.
1734 WARD, J. J.	1735 HIBBERD, D.
1736 ROE, F. A.	1737 LEA, A.
1738 HARDIE, E.	1739 LYNCH, G.
1740 WILSON, C. F.	1741 WILSON, T.
1742 BRATTAN, T. H.	1743 CLARK, C. E.
1744 LYNN, R.	1745 BONSFIELD, H. R.
1746 HUCKSTEPP, G. E.	1747 TARRANT, E. W.
1748 CAVANAGH, D.	1749 REID, A. H.
1750 MANNING, W. E.	1751 LOGAN, E. D.
1752 M'LEAN, A. K.	1753 MYCHAEL, T. E.
1754 STUBBS, W. J.	1755 OSBORNE, T.
1756 BEEHAG, S.	1757 TEBBUTT, H. S.
1758 M'DONALD, A. J.	

ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

New South Wales Unit: 1292 HADFIELD, D.; 1293 CARROLL, T. Victorian Unit: 1310 BALMER, F. W.

THE ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

The men of the Army Medical Corps unit turned out in working rig—dungarees and white cricketing hats—for Major-General Hutton's inspection, and it was after 1 p.m. before he was ready to see them. They were under the command of Captain T. E. Green, D.S.O., with Captain Howse, V.C., as second in command. Both these officers are to receive their majority—in fact, the General addressed them as majors. Colonel Williams, P.M.O., was also present. Inquiries by Sir Edward Hutton elicited the information that their equipment was not yet complete, but expected to be by to-day. The unit embarks on Tuesday, so that the task of completing the equipment is being cut very fine.

After his inspection the Major-General briefly addressed the officers and men. He said:—"Let me tell you that whatever you do always remember when you get to South Africa, that you go out there with the very highest possible reputation as an ambulance corps, because you follow in the steps of the New South Wales Army Medical Corps, which served in the campaign under Colonel Williams. I tell you this, and before Colonel Williams, that there was no portion of the colonial troops represented at the front which stood higher in the estimation of the Field-Marshal and the whole army in South Africa than the New South Wales Army Medical Corps. No one knows better than I do the splendid work they accomplished, not only professionally, but the neatness, regularity, and discipline of the camp was proverbial. For Lieutenant-Colonel Fiaschi and his officers and men I have none but the highest possible praise. You are going to again represent Australia; whatever you do, or wherever you are, act up to the reputation established, whether in your conduct on the field or in your hospital duties. I only hope when you return that you will help to contribute to the efficiency of the military forces of Australia. I wish you God-speed and good luck." General Hutton, accompanied by Brigadier-General Finn and others, then left the camp.

THE Y.M.C.A. TENT.

The Y.M.C.A. tent work among the troops has been continued every night this week, the Rev. R. B. S. Hammond delivering a special lecture to men last evening under the auspices of the White Cross League. An additional attraction has been given in the provision of a cup of tea to the men each day from noon to 3 o'clock.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

About 400 candidates presented themselves for enrolment in the Eighth Contingent this morning, though only 40, the Adelaide quota, were required. The majority of them were men of excellent physique, and many had had military experience in South Africa and in the local forces.

THE NEW ZEALAND CONTINGENT.

TRIP ROUND THE HARBOUR.

The State Government having placed its yacht Victoria at the service of the officers and men of the Eighth New Zealand Contingent, who arrived on Thursday by the transport Surrey, en route to South Africa, the troops yesterday had the pleasure of a trip round the harbour. They were to have started at 10 a.m., but there was some delay caused by an accident on board the Victoria at an earlier hour, and it was not until after noon that the men got away. The day was a delightful one for the outing, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The majority of the members of the contingent had not been in Sydney before the present visit, and they were enthusiastic in their praise of the scenery as it opened out at each successive point. The proceedings throughout were informal. Refreshments were served on board, and everything was done to make the trip a happy reminiscence to "soldiers of the King" from New Zealand. The representatives of Birt and Company, Limited, agents of the Surrey, were most assiduous in their efforts to make the outing enjoyable. The company's private steam launch made frequent trips between the Surrey and Circular Quay, for the convenience of members of the contingent and their friends.

THANKS FROM NEW ZEALAND.

The Premier (Mr. See) yesterday sent a cable to the Right Hon. R. J. Seddon (Premier of New Zealand) stating that he had granted the use of the Government steamer Victoria for taking the New Zealand Contingent round the harbour in two detachments, and they had enjoyed themselves very much. Last night Mr. See received the following reply from Mr. Seddon:—"Accept my sincere thanks for your kindness to our boys of the Eighth Contingent. Believe me it is very much appreciated." Two of the officers of the contingent also called on Mr. See and thanked him for the use of the Victoria.

RIPARIAN RIGHTS.

DECISION IN A DREDGING APPLICATION.

GULGONG, Friday.

The warden, Mr. Wilkinson, delivered to-day judgment in the Yamble dredging application. He found that the landholders on the banks of the rivers owned the land up to the centre of the stream, and assessed the annual rental in Sharpe's application to £1 per acre per year, leaving the question of compensation for future consideration. This is the first warden's decision on riparian rights delivered in New South Wales. It arose out of the Full Court appeal case, Rouse versus Wilkinson. The Full Court sent the case back to the warden for decision.

TO-DAY.

Organ Recital, Town Hall, 8 p.m.

Sydney Cricket Ground: North Sydney v. Sydney Cricket Ground Team; Northern Ground, Paddington v. Waverley, 2 p.m.

Waverley Swimming Club Carnival: Bondi Baths, 2.30 p.m.

Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron, 2 p.m.

Protestant Hall: "Briton or Boer?" and "The Reason Why," 8 p.m.

Sydney Flying Squadron: Sailing Race, afternoon.

Swimming: Eastern Suburbs Championship Carnival, Bronte Baths, 2.45 p.m.

Cyclorama: Cinematograph, Illusions, "Last Days of Jerusalem," 10 a.m. till 10 p.m.

Criterion Theatre: "£1000 Reward," 8 p.m.

Empire Theatre: "Happy Japan," 2.30 and 8 p.m.

Lyceum Theatre: "On Active Service," 8 p.m.

Her Majesty's Theatre: "Ben Hur," 7.45 p.m.

Palace Theatre: "Why Smith Left Home," 8 p.m.

Tivoli Theatre: Vaudeville Company, 2.30 and 8 p.m.

DISASTROUS BUSH FIRES.

OUTLYING SUBURBS DEVASTATED.

MILES OF COUNTRY IN FLAMES.

HOUSES AND PROPERTY DESTROYED.

SELECTORS BURNT OUT.

A destructive bush fire which swept over several miles of country and entailed the loss of a number of houses and large areas of grass and bush was experienced within a few miles of the city on Thursday afternoon. The flames had their origin in the Lower Bankstown district, and fanned by a strong hot wind they spread rapidly. Quickly assuming large proportions, the fire swept through thousands of acres of grass and timbered country, consuming in its progress every vestige of light vegetation, many miles of fencing, and several of the homesteads of selectors.

The fire, which is believed to have spread from a swagman's camp in Lower Bankstown, was carried by the high wind in the direction of Canterbury, Moorefield, and Belmore. Settlers in the immediate neighbourhood at once turned out to combat the flames. There was soon a large army of workers who, provided with green boughs and other rough and ready appliances, fought strenuously to stay the fire's progress. The districts, however, were particularly adapted to the passage of the flames which, fed by the dry grass and dense scrub and bush, obtained a complete mastery of the residents. Widening as it advanced it speedily began it work of destruction, and in a very brief time after the outbreak fences were being consumed and homesteads were threatened.

The district was soon covered in a dense pall of smoke, and thus the attention of people busy at a considerable distance was attracted. Throughout the afternoon men kept arriving to give them assistance in the saving of property, and shortly after 3 o'clock the fire brigades from Kogarah, Rockdale, and Hurstville were summoned to the scene. The flames were then approaching Moorefield, and thither the firemen hastened. They at once saw that most of the country extending from Stoney Creek-road, at Hurstville, to the St. George Hotel, at Canterbury, was being fire swept. Assistance was first given towards ensuring the safety of Mr. James Forester's house on the Croydon-road. On the arrival of the firemen the flames had reached to within a very short distance of the building. So close was the conflagration that the sparks were continually falling on the roof, and it was only by strenuous exertions that the property was saved. Included in the area which was devastated was the Walker Estate, on which some hundreds of acres of grass were consumed. The homestead on this property is one of large dimensions, surrounded by numerous outhouses. Despite all efforts a number of the latter were destroyed, but the fire-fighters succeeded in saving the house. On the farm of Mr. James Forester, sen., which was next reached, a shed and a quantity of potatoes were consumed, and the main building was for some time in danger of destruction.

The brigades were much hampered by the scarcity of water. Despite that, however, the firemen gave much valuable assistance to the residents. In some instances the course of the fire was stayed or turned by the drenching of a strip of land. After travelling down Wolli Creek the flames ignited the woodwork of a bridge that spans the stream, and the structure was only saved by the prompt arrival of the firemen.

Attention was then directed to a large haystack, owned by Mr. P. Scahill, and which was being rapidly approached by the fire. Nothing could be done to save it, and soon afterwards the stack was enveloped in flames. Moorefield was next threatened. The fire swept towards the cemetery, which adjoined the little Wesleyan church, and was soon licking up all the vegetation and the wooden railings about the graves. For a considerable time the church itself was menaced, but united action on behalf of the residents succeeded in warding off the flames. The Hurstville Brigade, under Captain Wallace, then had an exciting few minutes to keep the State school from being destroyed, and it was only by the free use of water that the building was saved. At the same time Messrs. G. Justice and A. Templeton, of the Kogarah Brigade, were similarly engaged in regard to a cottage next door, which was also kept intact. The residents worked incessantly to save the various premises which lay in the line of fire, but in some instances the flames proved resistless, and houses were burnt. Premises occupied by Messrs. Lees and Walters were entirely consumed, and several others suffered damage to various extent. One of the largest buildings in the district, the St. George Hotel, seemed at one time to be doomed to destruction, but when hopes of saving the property were reduced to zero the wind changed. So narrow was the escape that the outbuildings were almost reached by the flames. An adjoining property, occupied by Mr. Ware, became ignited, and owing to the insufficiency of available water parts of the premises were reduced to ashes.

In many instances the fruits of long and arduous labour by the settlers were destroyed within a few minutes. Such was the case with a large stack of firewood, containing some hundreds of tons, which had been cut and carted together by the members of a family named Fitzgerald, and which fell a prey to the conflagration. Many other pathetic incidents occurred, and it will be some days before any exact compilation of the damage can be made. It is certain, however, that the damage will reach several thousands of pounds. The fire has left numbers of selectors homeless and, it is said, practically penniless.

It was late at night when the firemen left the scene, and even then the fire was burning vigorously in several quarters. The men were completely exhausted, and dozens of those who fought throughout the afternoon in the endeavour to save their property and means of livelihood were prostrated by their exertions. The afternoon was particularly hot, and that, added to the heat of the flames and the density of the smoke, combined towards the most trying conditions. Throughout the night the fire slowly burnt itself out, and although it was still smouldering in some localities yesterday there was not much apprehension of a fresh outbreak. The change of wind towards evening was mainly instrumental for the check of its destructive progress, and proved a boon to the people of the neighbourhood. Late on Thursday night the scene in the district was described as magnificent, the flames having ascended to the tops of hundreds of trees, and lighting up the country for a great distance on all sides.

Reports of destruction were still coming in at a late hour last night, and among the properties already reported to have been burned were those of Mrs. Mary Ridgewell, a four-roomed brick cottage, valued at £500; Mrs. Mary Waters, a four-roomed weatherboard cottage, valued at £400; Mr. Hendry Thick, a six-roomed brick cottage, valued at £400; Mr. W. Ware's stable, valued at £20; a shed containing implements, owned by Mr. Alexander, valued at £50. In addition to these there were several outbuildings and small dwelling-places, correct information in regard to which has not yet been received.

SMALL OUTBREAK AT WAVERLEY.

Yesterday afternoon a small fire occurred on property owned by Mr. G. Foley, Carrington-road, Waverley. About three acres of grass were destroyed, together with some 50 yards of a paling fence.

AN EXTENSIVE CONFLAGRATION.

ST. MARYS, Friday.

The bush fire which started on Mr. G. W. Cotgrave's Dunheved run on Wednesday morning is said to have been caused by some boys. The fire, though noticed, was foolishly allowed to go its own course till late in the evening, when a futile attempt was made to put it out. A strong westerly wind was blowing, and the fire soon assumed large dimensions. After burning a large area of scrub and fencing on Dunheved, it crossed the main St. Marys to Windsor-road into the bush leased by Mr. J. K. Lethbridge, and owned by the Hon. P. G. King, burning right through it. A dwelling on this property owned by Mr. E. Michau was only saved after very hard work, the fire reaching within a few feet of the dwelling. Those engaged in putting the fire out were nearly suffocated with smoke and heat from the adjacent burning scrub. Only Mrs. Michau and her young children were at home, and they would have been burned out but for the timely aid of the neighbours. The fire then crossed Ropes Creek at several points into Mr. F. West's property, burning all the paddocks, the tenants having great difficulty in saving the dwellings, which would have been burned had not the Mount Druitt railway fettlers assisted magnificently. The fire in some instances burned the gardens right out. It then blew over to the south side of the railway line. A strong southerly wind came up at this time and spread it back into Tregeare, where, in spite of the grass being very short, it spread with remarkable rapidity, and could not be checked till night.

The principal losers are the Hon. P. C. King, fencing; Riverstone Meat Company, grass.

Mr. J. K. Lethbridge, grass and fencing.

Mr. F. West, grass and fencing.

Messrs. Davidson, Giles, Pye, and Greenhalgh lost most of their grass.

The fire is now under control, but with hot weather is likely to break out again from the smouldering timber. This is the third distinct fire starting on Dunheved within the last six weeks.

BANKSTOWN, Friday.

The weather was fearfully hot yesterday, with hot winds and large bush fires raging.

BLAYNEY, Friday.

A large bush fire occurred yesterday, and extended many miles. A number of farmers lost heavily. A fierce wind prevailed all day, and took the fire to the new bridge.

CAMDEN, Friday.

Bush fires are raging in close proximity to Cawdor, and also towards Burragorang.

CARCOAR, Friday.

Several bush fires have occurred in the district this week. The creeks and rivers are very low.

GUL GONG, Friday.

James Gardiner, farmer, of Cudgebegong, was burnt out yesterday. He lost hundreds of acres of

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grass, a large stack of hay, all the sheds and outhouses. The fire was extinguished a few feet from the dwelling, which was saved. Gardiner was severely burnt on the face and hands, and fell in the flames.

MOLONG, Friday.

A bush fire has been burning all the week in the Cumnock district. It commenced last Saturday in the direction of the dyke, and is now raging about Redbank.

MILLTHORPE, Friday.

Through the recent fire at Forest Reefs Mr. John Foley lost eight tons of chaff, a dairy, and outbuilding. Mr. Peter Redmond lost three stacks of hay, a stack of straw, together with 40 tons of straw. Harris's store was threatened, but was saved. About three miles of log fences was destroyed. A high wind was blowing during the conflagration. Fully 200 men were engaged in fighting the fire.

ORANGE, Friday.

Three large bush fires have been raging since yesterday in Lewis Ponds, Canoblas, and the Forest neighbourhoods. The first-mentioned seems very extensive, but no details have been received locally. The fire at the Canoblas has spread for a considerable distance westward, and has reached to the top of the mountain. The outbreak at Forest Reefs did considerable damage, and the destruction of the township seemed so probable that the residents became alarmed and shifted their furniture and belongings from the houses into less dangerous places. A large number of men beat the fire back when within a few hundred yards of the village. The residences of Messrs. John Foley and John Redmond narrowly escaped destruction, but both are heavy losers. Two stacks of hay and straw, 200 bags of chaff, and 150 bags of wheat were burned.

ROCKLEY, Friday.

Another bush fire broke out on Bunnamagoo station yesterday. The flames travelled with great rapidity, a strong wind blowing all day. G. Shephard was completely burnt out. His house and contents were destroyed.

WINDSOR, Friday.

Bush fires are very prevalent throughout the district, doing considerable damage.

RELIEF FOR SUFFERERS.

Mr. J. M. Dodd (Mayor of Gundagai), Mr. J. F. Barnes (member for the district), and Mr. T. I. Campbell (secretary of the Farmers and Settlers' Association) again waited upon the Premier yesterday in support of a claim for monetary assistance for persons who suffered by the bush fires in the Gundagai district. The Premier, in reply, said that the Government could not give any help to people who were destitute beyond supplies of food and clothing. The Advances to Settlers' Board would make further investigation into the matter to see what could be done, and each applicant for assistance would have to fill in the prescribed forms.

The following communication was received by the Premier from the secretary of the Advances to Settlers' Board:—

"Consequent upon the havoc caused by bush fires in the Gundagai district, a public meeting was held at Gundagai and a resolution carried urging upon the Government the necessity of granting the sufferers immediate financial assistance. The Advances to Settlers Acts can be applied to cases of this kind, provided the individuals concerned are in a position to give to the board security for the repayment of any sum advanced as required by the Acts, in which case applications would require to be made in the form prescribed (copies enclosed), when all necessary inquiries would be instituted, the amount of the loan, if any, determined upon, and the payment made with all reasonable despatch. I may mention that the Mayor of Gundagai called on me in connection with this matter, when I explained the situation so far as the Advances to Settlers Acts were concerned. In every instance where an advance is desired the borrower must be in possession of some tangible asset, such as land and the improvements thereon, and in no case will the board take up the position of a second mortgagee, and I understand that several of the properties destroyed are already mortgaged. The board is not in a position to afford assistance purely as a matter of relief, as all transactions under the Acts can only be regarded as of a business character under very liberal conditions."

QUEENSLAND.

THE COMING ELECTIONS.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Since it has been announced that the general elections will be held on Tuesday, March 11, efforts have been made to induce the Government to alter the day to Saturday. It was also suggested that if the date is not altered the time of closing the poll be extended to 6 o'clock. The Government gave the matter consideration, but decided that if the poll was extended to 5 o'clock in the larger towns all requirements would be met.

ROUGH WEATHER OFF THE COAST.

A report from Townsville states that a steamer bound from the south was flying signals of distress off Cape Cleveland, and the Carroo had gone out to her assistance. The name of the steamer was unknown, and no further particulars were available. Cyclonic weather is being experienced, with occasional heavy showers, and all steamers from the north are delayed. The Aldinga has not yet arrived at Townsville from Cairns, although she usually arrives on Thursday morning.

The Premier said to-day that he regretted the Federal Government could not see its way to increase the bonus on sugar grown by white labour. He said the bonus ought to be given to canegrowers at once. The Federal Premier proposes to give a higher bonus in five years' time, but the present is the time when the growers require most.

A Longreach message states that as the result of the recent rains the poison plant has sprung up in several places. Some horses have died through eating the plant.

At Ingham the rainfall since Monday afternoon was 17in. 44 points. The Herbert River is in flood. Portions of the railway line near Halifax are submerged, but traffic is not yet stopped.

The Government has authorised the construction of another section of the 10 miles of the Kilkivan-Coolabunia line. Instructions have been given to proceed with the work at once. The work will be done by day labour, as in the case of the first section. The extension will carry the line nearly to Barambah Creek Crossing.

The railway traffic earnings for January show an increase of nearly £10,000 compared with January last year.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

A WOMAN ACCIDENTALLY BURNT.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

An unmarried woman, aged 26, named Margaret Patterson, employed as a domestic servant by the caretaker at Brookman's buildings was seriously burnt this morning. She was dissolving beeswax and turpentine over a kerosene stove when the tin burst and fired her clothes. She rushed into the business corridor, where a crowd gathered and drenched her with water. The clothes were burnt entirely off. She was taken to the hospital in a critical condition.

Dr. Goldsmith, Government Medical Officer for the Northern Territory, who is on 12 months' leave of absence, is in Adelaide. He intends being present at the Medical Congress at Hobart, and later will proceed to London to attend the British Medical Congress in August. His object in attending the congress is to institute some system of studying tropical diseases in Australia on similar lines to or in conjunction with the tropical medical schools of London and Liverpool. After speaking with Dr. Roth, Protector of Aborigines for Northern Queensland, Dr. Goldsmith remarked that he thought it necessary to bring South Australian legislation with regard to the protection of aborigines into line with that of Queensland.

COUNTRY NEWS.

TOUR OF THE RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS.

LISMORE, Friday.

The Railway Commissioners during their visit on Wednesday were interviewed by deputations of the Municipal Council and the Chamber of Commerce, who strongly supported the railway from Casino to Tenterfield. The Mayor stated the population here was now upwards of 35,000, and was rapidly increasing. Byron Bay was the most suitable place between Port Stephens and Point Danger for a deep sea harbour. Alderman O. Flynn, referring to the resources of the district, said no place was more deserving of railway expenditure. Alderman Lockett, Messrs. Dunn, Wilson, and J. Graham also spoke.

Mr. Oliver said the question of a railway connecting with the tableland was a complicated one, there being three proposals before them at the present time. He promised to give the whole matter serious consideration, bearing in mind not only what was said here, but at other places also. He said the Commissioners had only to deal with three points, namely, estimated cost of construction, working expenses, and estimated revenue. Another body with wider powers would inquire into the merits of the various proposals. Gentlemen would be able to lay before them all the advantages which might arise to the district from a national point of view.

Other deputations brought various matters before the Commissioners, one being the erection of a platform at North Lismore.

A RAILWAY FATALITY.

KATOOMBA, Friday.

A fatal accident occurred on the railway line one and a half mile this side of Wentworth Falls to-day. Frederick S. E. Holt, of Wyalong-street, Burwood, after locking up a cottage on the north side of the railway line, was crossing the line, when the down midday train struck him on the left side of the chest, knocking him a distance of six yards. Dr. Spark, railway medical officer, arrived at 2 o'clock, but Mr. Holt remained unconscious until death took place at about 5.30. He was very deaf. He was crossing the line to take a cab to the station, and was carrying a parcel.

STOCK MOVEMENTS.

DAYSDALE, Friday.

Eighty head of cattle travelling from Lockhart to Boosey (Vic.) passed yesterday, Kane owner.

COMMONWEALTH NOTES.

THE SENATE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The first business in the Senate this morning was the consideration of a motion by Senator O'Connor (N.S.W.), "That to enable Senators to visit the proposed sites for the federal capital the House at its rising adjourn until Tuesday, the 25th instant." He afterwards amended the motion to make the date for the resumption Wednesday, February 26. Senator O'Connor said it was only right that members of the Senate should have an opportunity to see the sites proposed. He did not think any time would be lost, and the Senate could finish the Electoral Bill before the tariff got through the House of Representatives.

The motion was not received with excessive cordiality by the Senate. It was discussed at some length, and there was more than a suspicion that Senators were in no hurry to worry about such a matter as the selection of a site for the federal capital. Nearly every Senator who spoke had a complaint to make. Senator Sir J. H. Symon (S.A.) said that a fortnight was not nearly long enough to make an inspection of about 13 proposed sites, a view which was endorsed by Senator Fraser (Vic.) Senator Smith (W.A.) objected to any adjournment on the ground that it would mean the wrecking of the electoral bill. Senator Stewart (Q.) went even further, and declared that there was a conspiracy between the Government and the Opposition to block this measure. He regarded the proposition in the present state of public business as an extraordinary one. Senator Sir J. Downer said he would support any proposed adjournment as a direct protest against the abominable delay that was going on in the other House to the injury of the Commonwealth and destruction of business. It must be explained that Sir John makes frequent use of the adjective abominable, but with a milder meaning than is usually attached to it.

Senator O'Connor did not get very much help from New South Wales Senators. Senator Walker thought that if there was to be an adjournment it should be for at least a month. Senator Millen went into figures to show that it would be impossible to make any adequate inspection of the proposed sites in the time suggested. If the inspection was necessary—which he did not admit—it should be a fair one. He summed up the proposal as an impudent fraud on New South Wales.

Senator Pulsford was in favour of the adjournment, and could not see any reason why the Government should wish to rush the Electoral Bill.

Senator Charleston (S.A.) supported the motion. Senator Clemons (Tas.) could not accept the proposition that an inspection of the capital site was more important than other business before the Chamber, and would therefore oppose it.

Senator Higgs (Q.) said he would much prefer to go right on with the business before the Senate, but he had promised to support the motion, and would do so.

The motion was disposed of by a series of divisions, Senator O'Connor having explained that the Senate must meet before the end of February to pass another Supply Bill. The amendment by Senator Sir J. H. Symon to strike out the words relating to an inspection of the proposed federal capital sites was negatived by 19 votes to 7. A further amendment to extend the adjournment until March 5 was defeated by 18 votes to 8. On the final division the question was agreed to by 17 votes to 9.

The Standing Orders having been suspended, the Public Service Bill was read the third time. The second reading debate of the Electoral Bill was adjourned, and the Senate rose at 3.32 p.m.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

In reply to a question in the House of Representatives this morning Mr. Barton said he had informed the Imperial Government that no commission would be charged on disbursements in connection with the Federal Contingents. He laconically informed the questioner who asked if Mr. Philp was to be subjugated that "the Government had no such intention." Mr. M'Lean (N.S.W.) addressed a question to Sir William Lyne on the subject of an inspection of the proposed sites for the federal capital by members of the House of Representatives. The Home Secretary replied that he had not the slightest doubt that as soon as the state of public business permitted the visit would be arranged for, and made.

The sugar excise duty was further considered in committee. The Government proposed an excise of 3s per cwt. until January 1, 1907, less from July 1, 1902, a rebate to the grower of 4s per ton on sugar cane in the production of which white labour was employed. Mr. M'Coll (Vic.) asked that the rebate be extended to Australian-grown beet sugar. Mr. Glynn (S.A.) thought that the words "January 1, 1907," which practically limited the excise to that date, should be deleted. He moved to amend the proposal accordingly. The matter of continuing or discontinuing the excise duty, he held, should be left to the Parliament of the day to decide.

Mr. Reid prefaced his remarks by a comment on the listlessness of the Chamber, which was engaged in a languid discussion on a matter of vast importance. This languor was in sharp contrast to the excitement which prevailed among his friends on the opposite bench when a matter affecting Victorian interests was under consideration. After this home-thrust the leader of the Opposition said he did not like the Government scheme, but he felt bound by the arrangement which was practically agreed to when the Pacific Islands Labourers Bill was passed. At the same time, he thought they should not seek to tie the hands of a future Parliament by inserting the date for the abolition of the excise. It might be that the necessities of revenue would require a continuance of the excise.

Mr. Kingston said that the limitation of the excise to January 1, 1907, was an essential part of the Government proposals, and of an understanding which was agreed to when the kanaka legislation was passed.

Sir W. M'Millan (N.S.W.) put his view of the matter in these words:—"Are we going to say by our vote to-day that the principle of an excise duty on sugar is an immoral one? If you say that it ceases in 1907 then you will practically settle the question of excise duty on sugar for revenue purposes for all time, as far as you can." He thought they should do no such thing. It was impossible to go to land and income taxes for Commonwealth revenue, and the excise duty on sugar was a legitimate source of revenue.

Some more speeches were made, and Mr. Glynn's amendment was negatived on division by 33 votes to 14. Progress was then reported, and the House, at 2 minutes to 4 p.m., adjourned till Tuesday next.

THE MEAT CONTRACTS.

A copy of a minute forwarded by Mr. Barton to the Governor-General on January 28, on the question of the contract for the supply of meat to the army in South Africa has been laid on the table of the House of Representatives. Mr. Barton forwarded a copy of Mr. Seddon's cablegram to the Secretary of State for the Colonies in which the Premier of New Zealand expressed a hope that the report that the tender for the supply of meat to the troops in South Africa had been secured by a syndicate, and that it was permitted to obtain supplies from the Argentine, was incorrect, as Australia and New Zealand could supply the quantities, and further that there were other valid reasons why contracts for the supply should be kept within the Empire.

The Federal Premier informed his Excellency that this matter was exciting considerable public interest, but before asking that a telegram similar in purport to that forwarded from New Zealand should be sent, Mr. Barton desired that Mr. Chamberlain should be asked what were the terms of the contract recently entered into, especially in regard to that part of it under which the contractors were to be allowed to obtain their supplies from the Argentine. The Premier also desired to know from the Secretary of State whether the form in which the contract appears to have been made arose from any doubt that Australia was capable of supplying the whole quantities required.

A SUGGESTED CONFERENCE.

Mr. Lewis, Premier of Tasmania, has suggested to Mr. Barton that he should convene a conference between the Commonwealth Government and the various State Governments for the purpose of adjusting the financial difficulties which have arisen out of recent legislation. Mr. Lewis thinks that a conference should be held prior to the passing of the Postal Rates Bill, and that the subjects dealt with should include inter-state telegraph rates and the transfer of contracts and agreements, particularly with reference to the Tasmanian cable, New Zealand cable, and the Pacific cable. These matters, according to Mr. Lewis, will seriously affect the State revenue and liabilities, and it is very desirable that they should be fully and freely discussed. The conference might also, he suggests, take up consideration of the property acquisition question.

Mr. Barton says the proposal of the Tasmanian Premier is entirely a new one, and it will be necessary to consider the matter in Cabinet before taking action.

Mr. Peacock, the Victorian Premier, who has received a similar communication from Mr. Lewis, concurs in the suggestion.

STATES' CUSTOMS REVENUE.

GREAT INCREASE FOR JANUARY.

A return showing the approximate customs and excise receipts for the various States of the Commonwealth for the month of January has been prepared by Dr. Wollaston, the Comptroller-General. The figures are practically complete, as they have been returned up to the "nearest hundred." The total net customs and excise revenue for the Commonwealth for the period under review was £773,952, making a grand total since the imposition of uniform duties of £3,561,673. The duties came into force on October 9. For the month of December the customs and excise revenue amounted to £672,133, so that the increase for January is over £100,000. New South Wales heads the list for the month just closed with a net total of £255,600, Victoria follows with £196,510, Western Australia £129,000, Queensland £95,300, South Australia £80,307, and Tasmania £25,610.

The following return showes the details for the month for New South Wales:—

Customs.—Spirits, £57,300; wine, £1500; beer and cider, £3400; tobacco and snuff, £8500; cigars and cigarettes, £5900; tea, £2400; sugar and molasses, £6400; coffee, chicory, cocoa, and chocolate, £200; opium, £1800; rice, £500; hops and malt, £1300; dried fruits, £1000; all other articles subject to ad valorem, £93,600; all others, fixed rates, £21,700; miscellaneous, £2000. Total Customs, £207,500.

Excise.—Spirits, £4000; tobacco, £10,500; beer, £18,100; sugar, £14,400. Licenses.—Tobacco and cigars, £500; all other licenses, £600. Total excise, £48,100.

Total Customs and excise: £255,600.

THE CORONATION.

It is the present intention of the Federal Premier to sail for London to attend the Coronation about the middle of May. He wishes to reach London about a week before the date of the ceremony. Referring to the cable messages, Mr. Barton to-day stated that he was disposed to think with Lord Strathcona. There was, he added, a difference, constitutionally, between the positions of the Australian State Premiers and those of the Canadian provinces. The Dominion Governor General appointed the Lieutenant-Governors of the provinces. Consequently the Premiers of the provinces were in subordinate positions as compared with the Premiers of the Australian States. The Home Government still appointed Australian the State Governors, and they communicated direct with the Secretary of State for the Colonies. Mr. Barton repeated what he had already stated when in Sydney, that so far as the Federal Government and himself were concerned, there would not be the slightest jealousy if the Home Government chose to put States on the same level as the Commonwealth as regards invitations to the Premiers to the Coronation.

RETURNING TO SYDNEY.

Among members of the Federal Parliament who returned to Sydney this afternoon were Senator O'Connor and Mr. Reid.

THE ENGLISH CRICKETERS.

MATCH AGAINST WESTERN DISTRICT.

HEAVY SCORING BY THE VISITORS.

BATHURST, Friday.

The match England v. Western District Eighteen was commenced at noon to-day in splendid weather. The visitors were welcomed on the ground by the Mayor (Mr. W. J. M'Phillamy), Mr. F. J. Smith, M.L.C., and Mr. G. E. Machattie, who made speeches of welcome. Mr. MacLaren briefly replied. The teams were:—England: MacLaren, Quaife, Gunn, Braund, M'Gahey, Robson, Jessop, Garnett, Woods, Tyldesley, Hayward. Western District: Poidevin, Payne, Crowhurst, Kirkpatrick, Holdship, T. Read, Rouse, Kerr, Gilmore, Barnes, Smith, Allman, M'Phillamy, Lipscomb, A. Read, Hives, Hare, Hoy. Only thirteen of the local team are allowed to field. MacLaren won the toss from Holdship. Quaife and Gunn were the first batsmen, and Allman and Lipscombe the bowlers. Gunn was dismissed before he had scored, while Braund, who followed, was caught after scoring 5, the board showing 2-5-11. M'Gahey partnered Quaife and quickly got to work and 20 soon appeared on the board, although the fielding was very keen. At 50 Payne relieved Lipscombe, M'Gahey scoring a single off the over. Kerr took the ball from Allman, each batsman getting a single off him. Quaife added 4, placing Payne to leg. M'Gahey made 2, and a single off Payne's next bringing his score to 30. Quaife brought 20 opposite his name with a single off Allman. Runs came quickly, M'Gahey doing most of the scoring. With the total at 82 M'Phillamy replaced Kerr, and a few runs later Lipscombe was given another trial, relieving Payne. A single by M'Gahey off M'Phillamy made the score 90. Two more were added before the luncheon adjournment.

Resuming Quaife made a single off Lipscombe, M'Gahey getting 3 off Allman, and a like number off Lipscombe's next. M'Gahey returned one hard to Lipscombe, but he failed to hold it. M'Gahey then made 4 and 1 off Allman, Quaife also adding a single. Placing the first ball of Allman's next M'Gahey broke his bat. He made 8 off the next over sent down by Allman. Kerr was given a chance with the ball, and the first over 7 were made, 5 going to M'Gahey's credit. M'Gahey, who had given an excellent display, was got rid of by a catch by Payne on the boundary—3-71-124.

Robson followed, scoring 3 off Allman, and following with two singles, and a fourer off the same bowler. Quaife brought his score to 40 by a single off Kerr. Four byes followed, when Allman sent down a beauty that broke across from the leg, clean bowling Robson—4-9-139.

Jessop came next, and his appearance was a signal for applause, but he had a short reign, the first ball being lifted into Rouse's hands near the boundary. 5-0-139. This made Allman's average 99 balls, 49 runs, 4 wickets. Garnett succeeded Jessop, and sent Kerr to leg for 4, placing the next for a single. Allman then sent him down five trimmers, the last being sent out to the boundary, for which the batsman obtained 5. One came to Garnett through misfielding and Quaife played the rest of the over. Garnett then sent Allman's first in the next over for 4 and the third for 5, making his score 20. Barnes was now put on at the railway end, the score being 160, and Garnett scored a single off the first over, and in Allman's next over the first ball was driven by Garnett for 5, his third 5 in the score. Quaife added a single off the same bowler. Garnett hit Allman for still another fiver, and in Kerr's next over obtained 4. Payne now relieved Allman, who was evidently tiring, and Quaife legged him for 4 off the first and a single off the next, bringing his total to 51 for two and a half hours' play. Quaife then followed with two more fourers in succession off Payne. Garnett made 2 off Barnes and followed it up with 2 and 4 off the same bowler, bringing the total to 201. Quaife got 2 off Payne and placed the next for a single. Hoy now relieved Barnes at the railway end. His third ball put Quaife in difficulties, but the batsman sent the next for 4. Garnet cut Payne for 4, bringing his score to 50. He leg-glanced the next for a similar number. In Hoy's next over he appealed for l.b.w. against Garnett, but it was disallowed, and the batsman sent the next for 2 and 1 respectively, Quaife hitting the same bowler for 4 and 1. Lipscombe again took the ball, relieving Payne, whose last four overs cost 27, but the scoring still continued, Garnett being 60 and Quaife 72. Another change was tried, M'Phillamy going on at the railway end. Quaife glanced his third for 3. Four byes followed, bringing the sundries to 17. A lucky one to Garnett, through the fieldsman falling, brought 240 up. Quaife then added 2, when the adjournment was made for tea.

On resuming play, Garnett faced M'Phillamy, and scored 2 off the first ball, and 4 to leg off the last of the over. Allman took the trundling again at the gate end, and Quaife cut him for 2 and two fours. Both batsmen were now scoring, fours succeeding one another rapidly. Here Quaife had a narrow escape, an easy catch being missed by Kerr at short-leg, which gave the batsman 2. He then followed with another 4, bringing his total to 102. Smith now relieved M'Phillamy, Garnett made two fours off Smith's two first balls, but the third proved fatal, the batsman being clean bowled. 6-89-294. S. J. Wood succeeded Garnett, and facing Smith was given out lbw the first ball of the over. 7-0-294, Smith having to his credit 2 wickets, 5 balls, 8 runs.

M'Laren now joined Quaife, and was greeted with applause. He opened with a fourer off Smith. Play became very lively, both batsmen keeping the field employed. Holdship relieved Allman, and Kerr Smith, but still runs came freely, and when the stumps were drawn Quaife had 131 to his credit and MacLaren 74, both batsmen giving a fine exhibition of cricket. The following are the scores:—

ENGLAND.—First Innings.

Quaife, not out	131
Gunn, b Allman	0
Braund, c Lipscombe, b Allman	5
M'Gahey, c Payne, b Kerr	71
Robson, b Allman	9
Jessop, c Rouse, b Allman	0
Garnett, b Smith	89
Woods, lbw, b Smith	0
M'Laren, not out	74
Sundries	34
Seven wickets for	413

Bowling Analysis.—Allman, 4 for 189; Lipscombe, nil for 38; Payne, 0 for 54; Kerr, 1 for 43; M'Phillamy, 0 for 30; Hoy, 0 for 21; Smith, 2 for 41; Holdship, 0 for 3; Barnes, 0 for 21.

THE FIFTH TEST MATCH.

CHANGE IN DATE.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The committee of the Melbourne Cricket Club has decided that the fifth test match to be played on the M.C.C. Ground shall commence on Friday, February 28, instead of March 1, as originally intended.

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NEWCASTLE.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

The annual city municipal elections took place today, and resulted in the rejection of three of the four retiring aldermen. The contests in the city were exceedingly keen, and the voting was very close. The booths in various portions of the municipality were opened at 8 a.m., and were closed at 5 p.m. The returning officer (Alderman W. J. Ellis, Mayor of Newcastle) declared the result of the poll from the balcony of the council-chambers at 6.30 p.m. as follows:—

City Ward.—Michael Joseph Moroney, 561; Michael Arbuthnot Fraser (retiring), 534; informal, 6; majority for M. J. Moroney, 27.

Honeysuckle Ward.—William Cann (retiring), 483; Morris Light, 157; informal, 3; majority for W. Cann, 326.

Macquarie Ward.—Andrew Cook, 283; William Low Kidd (retiring), 232; informal, 1; majority for A. Cook, 51.

Belmore Ward.—John Christian Reid, 166; John Mullen Hyde (retiring), 125; informal, 9; majority for J. C. Reid, 41.

The successful and the defeated candidates addressed the large gathering which had assembled outside the Council-chambers, and returned thanks to their supporters. The proceedings were brought to a close by a vote of thanks to the returning officer and cheers for the King.

Mr. Moroney, who was successful in the City Ward, was formerly an alderman of the City Council, and was defeated three years ago by Mr. M. A. Fraser, who was rejected to-day. Mr. J. C. Reid, the new alderman for Belmore Ward, is a nephew of Mr. G. H. Reid. His opponent, Mr. J. M. Hyde, had represented the ward for four years, and was twice elected without opposition. Mr. Andrew Cook, who is now the representative of Macquarie Ward, is new to public life. Alderman Kidd, whom he defeated, had been a member of the City Council for nine years. The result of the election of two auditors was not known until 9.30 p.m., and was communicated to the press as follows:—George Francis Halbert, 1218 (elected); Magnus Cromarty, 967 (elected); George Alexander Dick, 919; John Michael Omara, 912; James Lindsay Lawson, 567.

THE COAL EXPORT TRADE.

The barque Prins Valdemar cleared at the Customhouse to-day for Tal Tal with 1967 tons of Waratah coal, and the steamer Manapouri cleared for Suva, via Sydney, with 900 tons.

In the inter-state trade the following coal-laden vessels were despatched to-day:—Steamer Time, for Geelong, with 3500 tons; barque Quathlamba, for Napier, 668 tons; steamer Kittawa, for Davenport, via Port Kembla, 850 tons; and steamer Nemesis, for Melbourne, via Sydney, 800 tons. The schooner Chitor cleared for Napier with 310 tons.

THE WOOL TRADE.

The wool receipts at Newcastle during the week ended the afternoon amounted to only 60 bales, making a total of 45,125 bales received since the opening of the present season, as compared with 55,499 bales at the corresponding date of last year, thus showing a decrease of 10,374 bales. In addition to the foregoing 3753 bales have passed through Newcastle by rail during the present season, of which 3367 were consigned to Melbourne and 386 to Sydney. There are no vessels at present on the wool berth.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

WHO HAS THE RIGHT TO VOTE?

Although the Municipalities Act does not fix any particular day on which the poll for the election of aldermen and auditors shall take place, to-day has been chosen by the majority of the returning officers for suburban boroughs as polling day. Several of the municipalities selected yesterday on which to take the ballot, while others have fixed upon Monday next, that being a day when landlords who live at some distance come into the boroughs in which they have property to collect their rents, and hence they can record their votes without being compelled to make a special journey to do so. The large majority of returning officers, however, fix upon Saturday on account of the day being a half-holiday for the working and middle classes. Monday is the latest day on which the poll can be taken, the Act prescribing that it shall be taken within seven days from the day of nomination, which was last Tuesday. In municipalities where there are wards the ballot for the election of an alderman to serve that ward must be taken at some place within the boundaries of the particular ward. Each ward elects its own aldermen, but the borough as a whole elects the auditors. However, for the convenience of ratepayers having business in town many of the returning officers have arranged for additional polling places in the city in accordance with the terms of the amended Act. The hours of voting are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

As some uncertainty has arisen as to who are entitled to vote at municipal elections it may be interesting to know that the owner, occupier, or lessee of any property is entitled to vote on two conditions. First, that such a person's name is on the municipal roll for the particular ward in which the property is situated, or where there are no wards on the roll for the borough as a whole; and second, that the rates have been paid in that person's name. If, for instance, the landlord has paid the rates in the name of the tenant, then the tenant has the right to vote, and not the landlord. If, on the other hand, the landlord pays the rates in his own name, then the tenant has no vote. In the majority of cases when the municipal roll is compiled the name of the person who voted the previous year for any particular property is again entered in respect to that property, and unless an alteration is made before the roll has been revised and confirmed that person alone is entitled to vote. So that if the landlord's name was on the roll, and the landlord, after the revision court, paid the rates in the tenant's name to give that tenant a vote, then the property would become disfranchised, because the landlord could not vote as the rates were not paid in his name, and the tenant could not vote because his name was not on the municipal roll. If the rates, or any portion of them, on any property remain unpaid at the time of the ballot, then no person can record a vote in respect to that property, notwithstanding the fact that some person's name is on the roll in respect to it. In the case of property being jointly owned, occupied, or leased by more persons than one, then only one person can be an elector unless the property in question is of sufficient annual value to produce two or more votes, in which case a second joint owner can be enrolled, and the persons so enrolled can divide the votes between them. Any property which is assessed at an annual value not exceeding £25 qualifies for the vote. Property of an annual value of over £25 and less than £75 qualifies for two votes. Property of an annual value of over £75 and under £150 qualifies for three votes; and property assessed at an annual value of any amount over £150 four votes.

MAYORAL ELECTIONS.

Bankstown.—A special meeting for the election of Mayor was held on the 6th instant. Alderman Gilliver was elected.

Botany.—At a special meeting of the Botany Council, held last evening, Alderman Page was elected Mayor for the ensuing year.

Botany North.—At a special meeting of the North Botany Council, held last evening, Alderman Coward, J.P., was unanimously elected Mayor for the ensuing year.

Mudgee.—A special meeting of the Cudgegong Council was held this afternoon, at which Alderman William Grant was elected Mayor.

Singleton.—Alderman Bennett was elected Mayor.

Wentworth.—Alderman William Bowring was elected Mayor of Wentworth for the ensuing year.

Windsor.—Captain J. J. Paine was re-elected Mayor for the eighth year in succession.

Yass.—At a special meeting of the municipal council Alderman Dr. Thane was unanimously elected Mayor of Yass for the ensuing year.

A DISASTROUS FIRE.

INVERELL, Friday.

A disastrous fire occurred last night at Mr. P. M. O'Sullivan's Lovely Bank farm, Little Plain. Mr. and Mrs. O'Sullivan were in front of the house about 6 o'clock when the former went into the house and found the dining-room in flames. The alarm was at once raised, and efforts were made to remove the furniture. Those working about the farm assisted, but only a few articles were saved. Everything was in such a dry condition from the recent heat that it was found impossible to check the conflagration. The house and kitchen, with contents, valued at £800, were totally destroyed. How the fire occurred was a mystery. The members of the family were unable to save any of their clothing. The sum of six guineas which was in the house, was lost.

CASUALTIES.

ACCIDENT ON THE PILOT STEAMER.

Shortly after 9 o'clock yesterday morning an accident occurred on the pilot steamer, Victoria, by which a man named Edward Bramley, aged 35 years, received terrible injuries. Bramley was employed driving a steam winch, when by some means he became caught in the rope round the capstan, and was badly crushed. He was quickly transferred to the Government steamer Sol and conveyed to Circular Quay, where he was placed in the Civil Ambulance and taken to Sydney Hospital.

ACCIDENT TO A SWIMMER.

A painful accident happened last night at Balmain to Mr. C. M'Gregor, a well-known swimmer of the local club. While taking part with others in a fancy diving exhibition he slipped, and his foot struck the spring-board, inflicting a very severe gash, which bled profusely. Surgical assistance was immediately sought and the wound was stitched up. M'Gregor suffered a deal from the loss of blood.

FATAL TRAM ACCIDENT.

At an early hour this morning a man named Patrick Clancy, aged 65, died at Sydney Hospital from the effects of a tram accident. He was admitted to the institution yesterday afternoon, but beyond the statement that he had been knocked down by a tram no information about him was received. He is believed to have resided in Sussex-street.

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BRITISH EMPIRE LEAGUE.

FORMING A BRANCH IN SYDNEY.

STIRRING SPEECHES AND GREAT ENTHUSIASM.

A preliminary meeting of citizens was held yesterday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce rooms for the purpose of taking steps to form a branch of the Empire League. About 40 persons—ladies and gentlemen—were present, among them being Mr. James Inglis, Mr. J. S. Larke, Dr. Scot Skirving, Messrs. Charles Lovely, H. T. Douglass, W. M. Fairland, A. Ebsworth, David Dash, A. Rogalsky, F. W. Johnstone, W. E. Gelling, George Wallace, and others.

Mr. E. C. V. Broughton, M.L.A., the convener of the meeting, occupied the chair, and in opening the meeting said he had called it in compliance with a request from a number of citizens. It was a preliminary meeting, called to take the necessary steps for the formation of a branch of the Empire League, which, as they knew, had been established in Great Britain, and had for its object the maintenance of the integrity and supremacy of the British Empire. He did not intend to make remarks at any length with regard to the utterances of the gentlemen who had a few days ago formed themselves into an anti-war league. He was sorry that the Labour party should have lent themselves to the meeting referred to, but he had since noticed that a number of the trades unions had dissented from the utterances of their representatives at the meeting to which he referred. He could not understand the reason why some men tried in season and out of season to belittle the British Empire, knowing as they did that if it were not for the liberty which they enjoyed they would not be in their present positions. As far as he was concerned, he hoped the war would soon end, but he hoped it would be on terms that would make a lasting peace. It was, to his mind, a fortunate thing that the Empire had at its head at the present time men like Mr. Chamberlain, who would see that peace was secured on a lasting basis.

Mr. James Inglis moved the first resolution,—"That in the opinion of this meeting it is desirable to form in Sydney a branch of the Empire League, having for its object the maintenance of the integrity and supremacy of the British Empire." He said it behoved people of the British race to be loyal to the Empire, to give their allegiance to the King, and that these things were of far greater and more permanent importance to the Empire than the mere question of the war, which was bound to come to an end. The people who spoke in such violent terms of Great Britain's misdeeds were worse than one man who had recently been elected to the House of Commons, because that man, on his own showing, had gone forth to fight for the Empire, and had adventured his life in favour of the Boers. It must be remembered in connection with this war that the British were not the attacking force, they were the defenders, and Mr. Kruger must have known that he must be beaten. However, he chose war, and now that it had come he (Mr. Inglis) was prepared to say that the war must not end until the conditions of peace were such that the recurrence of such a struggle would be impossible. (Applause.)

Mr. W. M. Farland seconded the motion. He could, he said, excuse people on the continent if they made mistakes concerning the conduct of the British troops in the war, but our own people ought to know better than to make the wild charges which had been made. Our freedom was very great; it was free to the extent that there were possibilities of the most unbridled license. If Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman had made the remarks that had been attributed to him, in the days of Lord Palmerston and Mr. Disraeli, he would probably have had to answer for them—(cheers)—and if some decided steps were not taken to show to England and the world that we in this remote corner of the globe were stanch in our loyalty, the detractors of the Empire would make the most of what appeared to be our supineness in the matter, and would point to Australia as a place where the policy of England was not favoured. They all knew that the war was not of England's seeking. Mr. Kruger and his party had been preparing for it for years, and when they thought the proper moment had arrived they gave notice to the English to get out. England defended herself. The present war was in some measure the outcome of the peace patched up by Mr. Gladstone in 1881, after the defeat at Majuba, and the Boers thought England would not fight again, but would give in just as she had done before. However, the present British Government was made of different stuff from that. (Loud cheers.) One of the most convincing answers to the slanders that had been made concerning the inhumanity of the British was the fact that Commandant de Wet's wife was an inmate of a British concentration camp, and the people of Australia would, he believed, agree that Mr. Chamberlain was right when he said this should not be a patched up peace, but that the war must be fought to its finish. (Renewed cheers.)

Mr. Frank L. Harden supported the motion. He said he was a sailor, and was proud of his calling. The sailors had saved the Empire at Ladysmith. —(loud cheers) and it was due to England's handymen to say that without them in all probability the British Empire would on that occasion have suffered great humiliation. (Renewed cheers.) He hoped to see the day when the map of Africa, from the Zambesi to the Congo, and from the Cape to Cairo, was painted red, and under free British rule. (Prolonged cheering.)

Mr. H. Pateson also supported the motion, and said he did not want too much toleration of the kind that had led to the peace in 1881 after Majuba. Great Britain had done more harm to herself by that kind of toleration than had been done by the unfriendly slanders of other nations. He agreed that the war must not end until the Boers complied with the conditions laid down, and trusted to the sense of justice of the British people for their freedom.

Mr A. Rogalsky also supported the motion, and said he was a foreigner by birth; but enjoyed the same freedom in Australia as those who were born British subjects. He did not know in what other nation those who were born aliens would be similarly treated. (Loud cheering.)

The resolution was then put, and carried amid loud cheering.

Mr. Charles Lovely moved the second resolution,—"That those present form themselves into a committee to take the necessary steps to carry out the foregoing resolution." He said he felt persuaded that the great heart of the Australian people was with the British Government in this matter—(cheers)—and that though certain people might try to traduce the fame of their own country, the vast majority would spurn the slanders. (Cheers.)

Mr. W. F. Stanton seconded the motion, and said the Anti-War League had done a great injustice to a large body of men and women who believed differently from what they did. He himself believed in freedom of speech, but when it threatened to take away the liberties which we enjoyed it seemed to him some curb was put upon it. He was himself a Labour party man, and believed that if Mr. M'Gowen, the leader of that party had been in Sydney, and not absent in the country on public business, he would have himself come forward and spoken against the assertions made by Messrs. Holman and Griffith. With regard to the resolution that was carried in the Labour League meeting a few days ago he had it on good authority that two of the men who voted in its favour had four votes each, while four others had proxies giving them two votes each, so that the majority was not such a large one after all. Moreover, the great body of the workers were loyal to the British race and Empire. (Cheers.)

The motion was put and carried unanimously, and the meeting closed with three very hearty cheers for the King and one for Mr. Chamberlain.

THE LABOUR LEAGUE RESOLUTION.

INDIGNANT UNIONISTS.

At a meeting of the Manly and Sydney Ferry Employees' Union, held at the Trades Hall last night, it was unanimously resolved to condemn the action of the Political Labour League in passing an anti-British resolution at its recent conference.

Mr. H. A. Mitchell moved,—"That we, the members of the Manly and Sydney Ferry Employees' Union, have no sympathy with the anti-British resolutions carried at the recent Political Labour Conference, and that we protest against that body introducing a matter which will tend to disunite the workers in this State."

The motion was adopted amidst much cheering.

The question was discussed at a meeting of the No. 1 branch of the New South Wales Amalgamated Railway and Tramway Service Association, held on Thursday evening. Delegates from the Political Labour League Conference reported the result of their deliberations, and commented upon the resolution condemning the policy of the British Government in the conduct of the Boer war. They had voted against the resolution, and had opposed its object as far as was possible.

The meeting decided unanimously to endorse the delegates' action.

NEW SOUTH WALES TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION.

PROTEST AGAINST THE ANTI-BRITISH RESOLUTION.

The monthly meeting of the board of management was held in the Trades' Hall last evening, when, after disposal of the ordinary routine business, the delegates to the Political Labour Conference gave their report of the proceedings. In connection with this business, it was resolved,—"That the board records its emphatic protest against the anti-British resolution carried at the recent Political Labour Conference, and expresses confidence in the capacity and humanity of the British Government to carry the South African war to a successful issue calculated to maintain an enduring peace, and regrets that the conference should so unwisely encourage the Boers to continue a hopeless struggle."

ATTITUDE OF THE LABOUR PARTY.

THE RECENT A.W.U. CONFERENCE.

GUNNEDAH, Friday.

There is widespread dissatisfaction here with the pro-Boer vote recorded by Mr. Hall, our member, at the A.W.U. conference last week, and preparations are on foot to hold an indignation meeting and request him to resign. A similar movement is also being made in other portions of the electorate.

The members of the Prospect School of Arts Debating Society on Wednesday night carried the following motion unanimously:—"That this meeting desires to express its full confidence in the conduct of the war by the British Government, both as to energy and humanity, and is satisfied that all ranks of the Imperial forces have given to the Government unbounded and loyal support in its efforts to bring the war to a speedy and satisfactory conclusion."

THE BUBONIC PLAGUE.

TWO MORE CASES.

Dr. Tidswell (acting President of the Board of Health) reported to the Premier yesterday as follows:—"I have to report that two suspicious cases of illness brought under my notice have been medically examined by officers of this department and pronounced to be plague. Both cases occurred in the city, one being that of Thomas Cuddy and the other that of James Foy. Both patients have been sent to the isolation wards at the Coast Hospital, and the contacts placed under medical surveillance. The premises have been placed under guard pending the completion of disinfecting operations, which have been already commenced. So far as I have as yet been able to ascertain there is no connection between these cases nor between either of them and previous cases."

Dr. Tidswell stated to a "Herald" reporter that over 23,000 rats had been destroyed since the first case in connection with the present outbreak took place. The average destroyed was 300 per day. The rats were examined; a few infected ones were found during the early part of the outbreak, but the majority of them were healthy. The capitation system was being extended to the suburbs. There was one station at Ashfield and another at Woollahra, and arrangements were being made to open depots in the other suburbs. It was pointed out by Dr. Tidswell that the plague now existed practically all over the world. It was to be found in China, India, the Mauritius, at the Cape Colony, Honolulu, Brisbane, and other places, all of which were in direct communication with Australia. We were therefore necessarily exposed to infection. The Board of Health was also quite aware that the plague was to be found in other places where its existence was now denied by the authorities.

The following is a copy of a telegram received by the secretary of the Board of Health, Sydney, from the Commissioner of Public Health, Brisbane:—"All vessels making Sydney the first port of departure are required to produce fumigation certificate here; or where the vessels discharge or take in part of cargo only at Sydney, a certificate must be produced to the effect that all precautions have been taken to prevent the access of shore rats to the vessel."

THE QUARANTINE AT RUSHCUTTER'S BAY REMOVED.

By order of the Public Health Department the quarantine restrictions with regard to the previously plague-affected area at Rushcutter's Bay were removed yesterday. The various workmen belonging to the cleansing gang completed their work, and removed their working tools, &c., by 2 p.m. The police, who have been in close attendance in the area, were also withdrawn.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Another fatal case of plague was reported this afternoon, the victim being Mrs. Golby, who resided at Melbourne-street, South Brisbane. The contacts are a married daughter and four children. The infection is attributed to rats, as one captured in this locality a few days ago was found to be badly infected with plague. Quarantine precautions are begun taken.

A SERIES OF PRESENTATIONS.

MR. SAMUEL HORDERN.

Many well-known commercial men of Sydney propose visiting England in time to witness the coronation, and some will extend their trip into a tour of notable parts of the old and new world. Many leave by the R.M.S. China to-day, and of those a few have been bidden bon voyage in a semi-public way by their business friends and acquaintances. Mr. Samuel Hordern is one of these. In addition to his prominence in business circles he has won many friends as a yachting man, and as commodore of the Prince Alfred Yacht Club he was presented with a token of the esteem in which his fellow yachtsmen hold him. The presentation was made at the club rooms on Thursday by Mr. W. M. Marks, vice-commodore, supported by Mr. Charles Brockhoff, rear commodore. The gift consisted of a set of pearl and turquoise waistcoat buttons and a miniature in gold and enamel of the commodore's burgee shaped for use as a pendant to the watch chain. Mr. Marks made a very happy speech, assuring Mr. Hordern that he was held in general admiration by all the aquatic men of Sydney. Mr. Hordern expressed his appreciation of the kindness shown him, and informed the company that he intended to find in Europe some special badges which he would bring back to the members of the club. Amongst those present were:—Messrs. A. C. Jewett (hon. secretary), S. Dempster (house secretary), J. J. Rouse (treasurer), and Fred Empson (library secretary), Dr. Burne (chairman of the house committee) and Dr. Knaggs, Messrs. S. Newton, A. A. Hunter, and Messrs. Fred Adams, Dr. A. C. Nathan, A. W. Crane, C. L. Garland, and A. C. Waterman (members of the committee).

MR. A. A. HUNTER.

Mr. A. A. Hunter, well known as manager of the business of his father, Mr. John Hunter, is another of the outward bound company, and he was the centre of a very large throng of friends assembled at the Australia Hotel. Mr. F. W. Warren was chairman, and included in the company were Mr. Alcock, Dr. A. Burne, Messrs. De Alba, A. Flexman, J. Gibbs, Geo. Grimm, Thomas Hooper, A. Harrison, J. Hind, George Hird, John Hunter, F. Johnson, J. F. King, J. Marks, Geo. Michaelis, A. H. Norman, C. Nettheim, Nesbitt, W. G. Parish, F. S. Prescott, C. J. Royle, J. J. Rouse, D. Storey, M.L.A., S. C. Sadler, C. T. Starkey, W. J. Eilbeck, H. Wickham, Captain Watson, R. G. Watkins, and J. H. Wearne. Apologies were sent by Messrs. S. Hordern, S. Hordern, jun., S. N. Newton, C. H. Starkey, and Alfred Spain. The toast of "The King" was drunk. Mr. Warren then gave the health of Mr. A. A. Hunter, who he said had, when a mere recruit in the commercial ranks, taken sole charge of the gigantic business concern of John Hunter, while his father was travelling for nearly three years. Since that time he had been entrusted with the general management. He was upright and shrewd in business, and a "jolly good fellow" in social life. He wished him bon voyage and a safe return. (Applause.) The toast was enthusiastically honoured. Mr. Parish remarked that there were some men in this community whom one thought of only by their Christian names—there was a charm about their personality and their way of doing business that made one regard them affectionately. "Alick" Hunter was such a man, and everyone knew him by that diminutive. (Applause.) Captain Watkins said that visits to the old land of such men as Messrs. Hunter, senior and junior, did more good to this country than all the appointments of all the commercial agents. The education they could impart to the people at home with regard to the wants of the State was infinitely greater in results than anything we could do in a legislative way. (Applause.) Messrs. Storey, M.L.A., and Hooper also spoke, and Mr. A. A. Hunter made a brief speech in acknowledgment of the compliment paid him. Mr. Warren proposed the health of Mr. John Hunter, and Dr. Burne gave that of the chairman, and both toasts having been honoured the gentlemen mentioned responded.

MR. THOMAS HOOPER.

Mr. Thomas Hooper, of the firm of Hooper and Harrison, was another leading member of the commercial community who, being about to visit the old world, was entertained at the Australia Hotel by many of his friends yesterday. The chairman was Mr. D. Storey, M.L.A., and amongst those present were Messrs. W. Angus, W. S. Cook, T. Cosh, R. Cowdry, Cook, A. Harrison, John Hunter, A. A. Hunter, H. R. Haege, J. Henderson, S. J. Hayward, George Hird, E. Lucas, P. Rabett, C. T. Starkey, Templeman, F. W. Warren, and W. T. Waters. Apologies were received from Messrs. Strang, A. E. Jaques, and A. M'Queen. After the health of the King had been drunk, Mr. Storey proposed the health of Mr. Hooper, and he said it was nice for a man to feel that, notwithstanding the wear and tear of business competition extending over many years, he still retained the friendship of those whose friendship was worth having. He congratulated Mr. Hooper upon having so many business and personal friends. (Applause.) Mr. Cosh and Mr. Hird spoke to the toast, which was cordially honoured. The health of the chairman was proposed by Mr. Warren, and that of Mr. Harrison by Mr. Storey. Each responded, and Mr. Haege added a few words to the general felicitations.

CAPTAIN T. ANGUS.

This was a presentation of another kind, the recipient being the commander of the R.M.S. China. The fine ship was lent to the Anniversary Regatta committee by the P. and O. Company as flagship, and the captain and his officers took unmeasured pains to make everyone comfortable. The committee decided to make some acknowledgment of the kindness, and yesterday Dr. Burne (chairman), Messrs. Q. Deloitte and A. Milson (treasurers), and J. H. Harris and R. P. Hickson (secretaries), met the captain and officers, and Mr. Trelawny, superintendent in Australia, on board. Dr. Burne made the presentation to Captain Angus, and Mr. Alfred Milson made that to Mr. Notting, the first mate. The present to the former was a silver tea and coffee service, that to the latter a spirit stand. At the instance of Mr. Q. Deloitte a vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Trelawny. He and the recipients of the presents spoke briefly, and a small but enthusiastic party separated.

MR. A. BRADFELT.

On Thursday Mr. A. Bradfelt, chief steward of the steamer Paroo, was the recipient of testimonials from the officers and engineers and the cooks and stewards' departments on the eve of his severing his connection with the vessel to take up a position in the providoring department in the A.U.S.N. Company's head office at Brisbane. Mrs. Minns, the stewardess, on behalf of the cooks and stewards, made the presentation of an engraved silver cigar case, and the purser, on behalf of the officers and engineers, presented Mr. Bradfelt with an engraved silver liqueur stand. The recipient responded.

MRS. J. H. ROWE.

On Thursday evening the employees and friends of Mr. J. H. Rowe, builder, of Paddington, waited upon him at his residence, Liverpool-street, to make a presentation to Mrs. Rowe, who leaves for England with her husband to-day. The Mayor of the borough (Alderman R. W. Usher) referred to the esteem in which both Mr. and Mrs. Rowe were held by the employees and local residents. Mr. M'Donald handed Mrs. Rowe a set of brushes handsomely mounted in silver, as a mark of esteem and good will from the employees. Mr. H. Jones also testified to the good feeling that had always existed between the men and their employer. Mr. Rowe acknowledged the gift in suitable terms. Mr. and Mrs. Rowe leave by the P. and O. Company's R.M.S. China at noon to-day.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

THE TURF.

The following scratchings were recorded yesterday in connection with the Canterbury Park February Meeting:—Hurdle Race: Steelbusk. Stewards' Mile: Ocean Boy. Park Stakes: Field Gun. All engagements: Cinderman. Flying Handicap: Glenore. Shorts: Rejoice.

Cowra J.C. and Clear Hills T.C. race meetings were yesterday granted registration by the A.J.C.

The death occurred early in the week of Mr. W. Ellard, who was many years ago an official in the A.J.C. office under Mr. S. C. Burt, when that gentleman was secretary. Mr. Ellard was a well-known identity in the city and was for a long time employed by Mr. George Kiss and Mr. William Inglis in their business as auctioneers of live stock. He took a keen interest in many public questions, writing in the press under the name of "Tim Fogarty."

While sporting on the inner tan track at Randwick yesterday morning Dainty II. collided with some force against Horace, who was cantering slowly. Horace suffered no inconvenience from the impact, but Dainty II. came down, throwing his rider, a lad named M'Laughlin, heavily. Dainty II. was lamed by the fall, but beyond a slight shock the boy was little the worse for the mishap.

Entries close at 12.30 p.m. to-day with the secretary, Mr. E. B. Dwyer, for the pony and galloway races to be held at Belmore on Tuesday next. The card will be found in the advertising columns.

Attention is directed to the programme to be found in the advertising columns for the five events to be decided at the Warwick Farm February meeting. Entries close with the secretary, Mr. G. Rowe, at 4 p.m. on Monday next.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NEWS.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Following are the scratchings posted at the V.A.T.C. office to-day:—Warrain Hurdles: Scutum. Stanley Steeplechase: Ebb. Iona Hurdle Race: Scutum. Rigi Steeplechase: Ebb. Warroa Hurdle Race: Scutum. Salisbury Steeplechase: Ebb. Oakleigh Purse: Hibernian. Oakleigh Plate: Mairp. Woodcliff Handicap: Speculation.

The V.R.C. committee to-day adopted the disqualification for life on James Hayes, and 12 months' disqualification inflicted on Thomas Rouse by the Tasmanian Racing Club stewards.

Urbanity got over 10 hurdles in promising style at Caulfield this morning. Rickshaw and Romany Lad jumped five in taking style, and Seaman, Coat-of-arms, and Chaos were also treated to jumping drill.

Captain Carrington, who was injured while galloping on the Caulfield track recently, has now resumed work.

Four more of T. Payten's horses, namely, Milner, Stillwater, Hoopiron, and Hautain, arrived from Sydney by steamer after a rather rough passage. Hautain is to be turned out for a spell.

Though M. Mooney has almost recovered from the effects of his accident at Flemington on New Year's Day, Mr. Miller thinks it advisable he should have a little longer spell, and P. Cosgrove will ride Victorian in the Hurdle Race at Caulfield to-morrow.

CANTERBURY PARK RACE CLUB.

Canterbury Park will be the sporting rendezvous this afternoon, and the bill of fare to be discussed should provide very interesting racing. The track is reported to be in good order, and the customary arrangements have been made for the comfort and convenience of a large concourse of visitors. The special transit service includes trains starting from Redfern at 12.38, 12.53, 1.3, 1.8, and 1.18 p.m., while the ordinary traffic to Canterbury will also be available. The sport commences at 2 p.m. with the Hurdle Race, in which Crescent, Ireland's Eye, Rio, and Wilderness should run well, and the numbers may go up for Rio, Crescent, and Wilderness. Santoi, T.M.S., Blue Cap II., Victory, and Valento should have most to say in the settlement of the question for the Flying Handicap, and the places may be occupied by Valento, T.M.S., and Blue Cap II. A large field may be anticipated for the Park Stakes, and the chances of Miss Robinson, Withan, Elvina, Tickler, and Seafarer seem to be about the brightest, while the judge's attention may be claimed by Nickel, Seafarer, and Miss Robinson in the order written. The most reliable of the candidates for the Stewards' Mile appear to be Isa, Geneva, Doreen, Planet, and Lady Buller. Isa and Lady Buller are in the same interest, and the stable choice must be very hard to beat, while the winner may have most difficulty in disposing of Doreen and Geneva. An interesting race is promised for the Canterbury Handicap, and at the weights Royal Purple, Lady Darling, Bira, Queen of Sheba, and Merlina are the most likely to fight out the battle, while the situations may go to Merlina, Lady Darling, and Royal Purple. The sport will be brought to a close with the Shorts Handicap, in which the issue should be fought out among Merralie, Clangour, Miss Robinson, and New Jersey, and Merralie, New Jersey, and Miss Robinson may pass the judge in the order named.

VICTORIA AMATEUR TURF CLUB AUTUMN MEETING.

FIRST DAY.

The autumn reunion of the Victoria Amateur Turf Club commences at Caulfield to-day, and in view of the important events to be decided at Flemington and Randwick before the close of the autumn campaign, the meeting is invested with great interest. The Utopia Trial should be secured by the elect of Scobie, whose stable is represented by Rienzi, Royal Oak, and Golden Tresses. The honours in the Warren Hurdle Race may be divided among Rickshaw, Linden, and Victorian; while Cretonne, Speculation, and Gosport should fill the places in the Woodcliffe Handicap. A good battle should be witnessed for the Salisbury Steeplechase, in which Chelsea, Mystery, and Thargo seem to have the best prospects; while Moonbeam, Latchkey, and Rienzi may be the most reliable for the Oakleigh Purse, in which Loch Fyne should also run well. The Kooyong Welter brings the afternoon's sport to a close, and the places may be occupied by Roi de Lis, Heuress, and Wairiri.

CYCLING.

SYDNEY BICYCLE CLUB.

To-day the annual inter-club cricket match between the Sydney and Suburban bicycle clubs will be played on the northern wicket of the Outer Domain. In connection with this match Mr. W. R. George, president of the Sydney Bicycle Club, is giving a trophy for the highest scorer of the match.

BALMAIN CLUB.

The eighteenth annual meeting of the Balmain B.C. will be held on Monday.

The Western Suburbs Club will ride to Penrith to-day.

The Waratah Rovers, with ladies' auxiliary, will run to Bronte.

C. Melrose, who left by train for Goulburn, will start this morning for Sydney on his record-breaking expedition. He should arrive at the General Post Office at about 5 o'clock.

The annual conference of Australian leagues has been set down for May.

The Palace Emporium Club's run for to-day is Maroubra.

Mr. A. Smyth has resigned his position as handicapper to the N.S.W. Cyclists' Union.

A motor-car service is expected to commence shortly in Melbourne. A 10-h.p. Daimler char-a-banc has arrived. It will hold nine people. The car has continually run from London to Brighton, a distance of 52 miles. It is the intention of the owner, Mr. Selby, to run to one of the seaside resorts, probably to Brighton.

GOULBURN, Friday.

The local club of the League of Wheelmen has established a life-saving class, the members of which will be taught to rescue persons in danger of drowning.

CRICKET.

THE LOCAL COMPETITIONS.

After a rest for a fortnight the grade competition will be resumed to-day. Fresh rounds of matches will begin. The engagement of the Trustees' team on Sydney Cricket Ground is with North Sydney, and some good cricket should be witnessed. The fixtures are as follows:—

FIRST GRADE.

Paddington v. Waverley, Sydney Cricket Ground No. 2.
Burwood v. Sydney, Burwood.
Leichhardt-Balmain v. Glebe, Leichhardt.
Redfern v. Central Cumberland, Redfern.
North Sydney v. Trustees' Team, Sydney Cricket Ground.

SECOND GRADE.

Leichhardt-Balmain v. North Sydney, Balmain.
Paddington v. Burwood, Hampden Park.
Central Cumberland v. Waverley, Parramatta.
Sydney v. Petersham, Rushcutter Bay.
Manly v. St. George, Manly.
University v. Redfern, University Oval.
Glebe, a bye.

THIRD GRADE.

North Sydney v. Sydney, North Sydney.
Waverley v. Redfern, Waverley.
Glebe v. Burwood, Wentworth Park.
University v. Manly, Wentworth Park.
Petersham v. Paddington, Petersham.
St. George v. Leichhardt-Balmain, Brighton.

BOWLS.

PENNANT AND B COMPETITIONS.

After a spell of a fortnight the Pennant and B competitions will be continued this afternoon, when the third round will be played. At the conclusion of the second round the Victoria Park, Manly, Annandale, and Randwick clubs, having each lost two games, were thrown out of the competition. Waverley, Gladstone Park, Ashfield, Strathfield, Balmain, and Chatswood have each lost one match, so that if either of those clubs go down to-day they will no longer have a voice in the competition. City, St. George, St. Leonards, and Redfern are playing strongly, and so far have not suffered defeat. In the B competition already Redfern and St. Leonards clubs have been thrown out, in consequence of their having been beaten twice, while Manly, St. George, City, and Ashfield have each lost one match. Petersham and Waverley, who meet to-day, are still unbeaten. The following is the result of the draw for to-day's play:—

Pennant Competition.

St. Leonards v. Petersham, at Redfern.
Ashfield v. Strathfield, at city.
Chatswood v. Balmain, at Waverley.
Waverley v. St. George, at Balmain.
Gladstone Park v. Redfern, at St. Leonards.
City have a bye.

B Competition.

Petersham v. Waverley, at Victoria Park.
St. George v. City, at Strathfield.
Manly v. Ashfield, at Chatswood.

VICTORIA PARK V. GLADSTONE PARK.

A four-rink match will be played this afternoon between the Victoria Park and Gladstone Park clubs on the latter's green at Balmain. The home team will be represented by the following players:—No. 1 rink: J. Boughton, T. Fraser, F. Levot, and H. Cox (captain). No. 2 rink: H. Jesson, M'Kinley, Waterman, and A. Settree (captain). No. 3 rink: A. Gow, Lee, G. Dingwall, and W. M. Burns (captain). No. 4 rink: V. Jones, J. Prentice, A. Smith, and D. H. Easton. Emergencies: J. Crane, W. Wolff, and H. Mills.

GOLF.

MARRICKVILLE GOLF CLUB.

The associate members of the above club decided their bogey match yesterday. The result was a win for Mrs. Ashdown. The best returns were:—

Mrs. Ashdown, handicap 9, 2 down.
Mrs. Cearns, handicap 7, 3 down.
Mrs. Aitken, scratch, 4 down.
Miss C. Trevor Jones, handicap 19, 4 down.
Mrs. Hill, handicap 16, 5 down.
Miss Murdoch, handicap 19, 5 down.

The engagement for members for to-day is a bogey match for Messrs. D'Arcy and Co.'s trophy.

FOOTBALL.

As advertised, a general meeting of the City and Suburban Rugby Union will be held at the Exchange Hotel, Gresham-street, on Monday evening.

SAILING.

ROYAL SYDNEY YACHT SQUADRON.

The Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron's fixture for to-day is open to all yachts of the club, time allowances being given according to their ratings. A splendid entry has been secured, being the whole of the 30ft. class, with the exception of Janet, Meteor, and Ku-Kubarra. With such a fine field some good racing is sure to take place. Messrs. Marks and Reading's new boat, Œnone, will make her first appearance under a racing flag. A lot of interest will be centred in her performance and the meeting between Culwulla and this craft will be watched with much attention, both having been built under the latest Y.R.A. rule, but each designer having produced a different style of boat, Culwulla being a light displacement craft similar to the boats built under the old rule, while the Œnone is of much heavier displacement, being more in accordance with the object aimed at by the present rule.

The following are the entries and time allowances:—

Sunbeam (F. Doran), rating 35.1, scratch; Magic (J. O. Fairfax), rating 32.8, 3 minutes 53 seconds; Fleetwing (C. T. Brockhoff), rating 32.2, 5 minutes; Coya (A. W. Crane), rating 32.0, 5 minutes 23 seconds; Heather (Dr. Gordon Craig), rating 31.9, 5 minutes 37 seconds; Petrel (S. M. Dempster), rating 31.8, 5 minutes 47 seconds; Culwulla (W. W. Marks), rating 31.7, and Aoma (A. Dixson), rating 41.7, each 5 minutes 59 seconds; Œnone (A. R. Marks and C. H. Reading), rating 30.0, 9 minutes 33 seconds. Œnone is racing subject to measurement.

The start will be a flying one at 2.30, the time allowances being deducted at the finish. The course is from Farm Cove, round the squadron's buoy at Manly, Shark Island, Fort Denison, Pile Light, Shark Island, and finish off southern side of Fort Denison. The first prize is £10, the second £4, and third £1. The squadron steamer Woy Woy will leave the floating jetty, foot of Phillip-street, at 2.15 p.m.

SYDNEY FLYING SQUADRON.

No fewer than 22 boats have been entered for the Sydney Flying Squadron's general handicap race to be contested this afternoon. The event is to be decided in three heats and a final over the customary triangular course, starting and finishing at Clark Island, the first and second boats to finish in each heat qualifying for the final. As usual, liberal prizes are offered, viz., £2 for each of the heatwinners, whilst the placed boats in the final will receive £5, £2, and £1 respectively, making a total of £15. In addition, the winner will receive a trophy presented by Vice-president W. H. May. The entries and handicaps are:—

First heat: Australian (Chas. Webb), 3½ minutes; Donnelly (Geo. Holmes), Elsie (W. Read), and Mascotte (C. Dunn), 3¾ minutes; Iris (J. Langford) and Thalia (H. Langford), 4 minutes; and Doreen (C. Smith), 5¼ minutes. Second heat: Keriki (O. Taylor), scratch; Young Harry (S. Richardson), ½ minute; Effie (F. E. Sayer), ¾ minute; Plover (H. Forster), 1¼ minute; Ella (G. Doran), 2 minutes; Guinevere (R. Green), 2¼ minutes; and Willa (W. Messenger), 2¼ minutes. Third heat: Southern Cross (W. M. Ford) and Hiawatha (W. Anderson), 1½ minute; Yogi (R. C. Scott), 5¼ minutes; whilst the raters Dragon (J. St. G. George), Meteor (A. W. Crane), Desdemona (A. Muston), Quadratic (P. Summerbell), and Yankee (J. B. Craig), will be handicapped at the post.

It will be noticed that the entrants have been classified as far as possible, so that the heats should prove more interesting than perhaps would otherwise be the case. The club steamer Lady Manning will convey patrons to Clark Island, and afterwards follow the racing. She will call at the Balmain wharfs, and leave Circular Quay about 3 o'clock.

LANE COVE A.S.C.

The Lane Cove Amateur Sailing Club will hold two races this afternoon for open boats and canoes. The handicaps are:—

Open Boats.—Spindrift (J. Murnin), scratch; Nell (J. Coleman), 1 minute; Marjorie (W. Henderson), 3 minutes; Dorothy (T. Keddie), 5 minutes; Meanee (A. Richards), 5 minutes; Ruby (J. Waddell), 8 minutes; Chance (A. Edgington), 9 minutes; Glaucus (L. Clarke), 9 minutes; Florodora (T. Cuneo, jun.), 10 minutes.

Canoes.—Myee (C. Foxall), scratch; Nada (H. Clarke), 5 minutes; Coquette (S. Pattinson), 6 minutes; Atlas (A. Thompson), 7 minutes; Comet (N. Levy), 7 minutes; Lorna (G. Clarke), 13 minutes.

NEUTRAL BAY AMATEUR SAILING CLUB.

The above club is holding a general handicap race this afternoon for prizes of £2, £1, and 10s. Course: From Neutral Bay, round Pile Light (off Watson's Bay), round Fort Denison, round Shark Island, and finish in Neutral Bay. Following are the entries:—Jum Satie, A. G. Milson, scratch; Vanuna, A. Spain, scratch; St. Crispin, R. B. Phillips, 2 minutes; Fay, R. W. Carey, 3 minutes; Allouette, Frank Wells, 4 minutes; Ailsa, O. W. Selfe, 8 minutes; Happy Thought, R. Spain, 9 minutes; Hinemoa, G. H. Fleming, 10 minutes; Wytnona, T. Hall, 15 minutes.

The limit boat to start at 3 p.m.

FORSTER, Friday.

The disputed race for the Cape Hawke Cup was resailed yesterday over the usual course at Regatta Island and was won by Iris, sailed by W. Breckenridge. The Volunteer was second. A strong north-easterly prevailed. The cup must be won three times or twice in succession before becoming the property of the winner. Considerable interest was taken in the event.

SWIMMING.

EASTERN SUBURBS CLUB.

220 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

The 220 Yards Championship of New South Wales, which is to be decided at the Bronte baths to-day, should prove an exciting contest. F. C. V. Lane, the present world's champion over the distance, will again compete. He will have as opposing competitors G. Read, K. Craig, R. Cavill, R. Byers, and C. Healey. For the 100 Yards District Championship the following have entered:—Coulsen and Duret (Bondi Club), Enemarke and Walshe (Randwick and Coogee), Schaeffer and O. Carroll (Eastern Suburbs). Owing to the Waverley Club carnival being also held, the latter club will not be represented. Special trams have been arranged for during the afternoon.

WAVERLEY CLUB.

One of the attractions of the above club's carnival at Bondi to-day is an attempt by G. Read to lower the world's record for the 880 yards.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

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Custom-house.—Entered outward: February 7, Leura, s., Captain William Ellis, for Queensland ports; Tyrian, s., Captain J. D. Joy, for Melbourne; Tambo, s., Captain G. F. Entwisle, for Hobart; Manapouri, s., Captain G. Crawshaw, for Suva, Tonga, and Samoa; Hirotha, barque, Captain George Davies, for Auckland, via Newcastle; Ofelia Pedersen, Captain Hansen, for Mexico, via Newcastle.

PASSENGERS BOOKED PER R.M.S. CHINA SAILING HENCE TO-DAY.

To London and Marseilles: Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Garl Belmarin, child and nurse, Mrs. Kelso, Mr. and Mrs. L. James, Mr. John V. Howes, Mr. and Mrs. Tabberer, Mr. and Mrs. F. Fisher and family, Mr. Lloyd, Mr. Smith, Miss Hamilton, Miss Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. James Benson, Miss Benson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rowe, Miss Budd, Miss Madden, Miss Holdsworth, Mr. and Mrs. John Cooke, Miss Cooke, Mr. J. Cooke, jun., Mr. and Mrs. George Marsh, Mrs. Sterling, Miss Sterling, Mrs. Burrell, Miss Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hordern, Miss Minnie Hordern, Masters Hordern (2), Mr. Harris, Mr. Murly, Mr. T. Hooper, Mr. W. S. Carter, Mr. D. W. Osborne, Mr. R. C. Ransome, Mr. A. A. Hunter, Mr. Govett, Mr. Toms, jun., Mr. R. K. Thomas, Mr. G. Osborne, Mr. F. Osborne, Mrs. and Miss Boyd, Mrs. MacLaren, Mrs. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. H. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. A. Learmonth, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wright, Mr. Alexander Crawford, Miss Lily Crawford, Miss Annie Crawford, Mrs. Arrowsmith, Rev. W. H. Johnston, Miss Gladys Johnston, Miss J. Johnston, Master Charles Johnston, Mr. T. Dolphin, Mr. Horatio Horne, Miss Horne, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Roach, Mr. E. Kealey, Mr. Hugh C. Cox, Mrs. and Miss Royce, Mr. and Mrs. J. Homer, Mrs. John Evans, Miss Millicent Pole, Mr. and Mrs. J. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Hayward and child, Mr. and Mrs. Culling, Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt, Miss White, Miss Melville Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. R. St. J. Hughes, Mrs. C. T. Langridge, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, Miss Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Weleles, Mr. and Mrs. Finder, Mr. and Mrs. Toms, Miss Waters, Miss Toms, Miss Eardley Wilmot, Mr. E. T. M'Kinnon, Mr. T. K. Kelly, Mr. T. W. Bennett, Mr. E. Alexander, Mr. G. T. Downey, Mr. Bell, Mr. H. T. Tompsitt, Mr. Coombes, Mr. Woodman, Mr. James Coram, Captain C. J. Nightingall, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and four children, Mr. and Mrs. Tarrett, Mr. R. MacLaren.

To Hongkong: Mrs. M'Cabe, the Misses M'Cabe (2), Mr. P. P. M'Cabe.

To Colombo: Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Holdship, Mrs. and Miss Copp, Miss M. Park, Mrs. O'Callaghan, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Knox, Miss Sherriff Young.

To Fremantle: Mr. J. Stephen, Mr. O. E. Norris, Mr. F. Levie, Mr. S. C. Dyer, Mr. R. H. Goodwin, Mr. A. H. L. Savage, Mr. G. R. Hodson, Miss E. Cosgrove, Mr. C. St. C. Trenaman, Dr. and Mrs. Victor Black, Mr. J. T. Lawler, Mr. W. J. Douglas, Mr. C. St. Toppen, Mr. Ed. Blythe, Mr. S. W. Cripps, Mr. J. W. Lockhart, Miss Tindall, Miss Godson, Mr. Mrs. and Miss Lewis, Mr. J. A. Coleman, Mr. George Wilcox, Mr. T. J. Andrew, Mr. W. Lockhart, Miss Burt, Mr. Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Allbeury, Miss Messer, Mrs. Maddock, Mrs. E. Myler, Miss L. Winsall, Mr. I. Barrow, Mr. John Nelson, Mrs. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Hayward, Mr. C. Erwood, Miss Greeves, Mrs. Barrett, Mr. A. Thomas, Mr. J. Rosser, Mr. J. M'Donald, Mrs. Gretton, Mrs. Dodge, Mr. G. Cook, Miss G. Caldwell, Mrs. D. M'Lean, Mr. R. Watson, Mrs. C. Blythe, Mrs. C. Ogden, Miss A. Gourlay.

To Adelaide: Miss Alexander, Dr. and Mrs. Matthew Ennis, Mr. A. E. Goldstein, Mr. A. Bohm, Mr. Bevan, Mr. E. Dufaur, Mr. E. H. Davies, Mr. J. B. Williams, Mr. J. Mutton.

To Melbourne: Mr. Gracewood, Mr. Rivers Langton, Mr. and Mrs. James Steadman, Miss Tallerman, Mr. S. Cowan, Mrs. N. Adair and child, Mr. W. A. Benn, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pope and child, Mrs. F. Paulden, Mr. E. Luff, Mr. A. E. Natt, Mr. J. Brooks Thornley, Mr. G. L. Fuller, Master Fuller, Mrs. Thompson, Miss Rosina Fisher, Mr. Joseph Hopkins, Mr. E. J. Pain, Masters R. and E. Whitelaw, Miss Osborne, Mr. G. H. Adams, Sister Agnes Marie.

The best "pick-me-up" for mental worry or physical exertion is a wineglass of Faulding's VI-KOLA.—Advt.

Some interesting illustrations of the Trial of a Fire Escape in Pitt-street are given in this week's "Sydney Mail."—Advt.

POULTRY.

(All questions relative to fancy or commercial poultry-keeping, &c., must be addressed to "Ancona," Herald Office.)

B. S.—Your communication has been forwarded to the address desired.

...—The treatment you mention is quite correct, but as the complaint is of long standing it may be necessary to lance the swelling. Squeeze out any matter, and afterwards wash with warm water. Keep the bird in a coop with plenty of straw or dry grass.

...Reader.—1. Cannot recommend any particular breeder in this column. Your better plan would be to advertise for what you require. 2. Yes, by all means. 3. Write to the Rosewarne Packing Company, Chester-street, Camperdown, Sydney, who will supply you with all information on the subject.

Camden is one of the best poultry-growing districts in this State, the fowls coming from that quarter always realising top prices at the Sydney markets, and rank next to those from the Hawkesbury. This claim is largely due to the local agricultural society, who, besides catering for the fancy side of the subject, also give a number of prizes each year for the practical, the display of these at each year's show being always a good one. For the forthcoming show next month a lengthened prize list is issued, embracing 68 classes for fowls, ducks, and turkeys, which include 12 for game—Orpingtons seven, Wyandottes, Leghorns, and Hamburgs five each—the remaining sorts having from two to four classes each. The prize-money in each class is usually 5s first and 2s 6d second, although in a few instances 7s 6d takes the place of the smaller amount for first prize, and this forms a peculiarity of the schedule, the larger money prizes going principally to the fancy Hamburgs, the practical Dorking, Orpington, and Wyandotte only getting the 5s. For the best three pairs of table fowls there is 22s 6d offered; 15s is offered for cock and three hens for farmyard purposes; 22s 6d is the amount for six ducks fit for export, for six ducks the same amount, and for 12 fowls fit for export 30s is offered. Mr. A. Thompson is secretary.

The lately formed Game Club, of which Mr. ... is secretary, some time ago offered to the Royal Agricultural Society a number of trophies to be competed for at the Easter show. At first it was thought that the providing of these would be a severe drain on the young society. This fear was, however, dispelled at the last meeting of the club, when several of the members promised the presentation of a trophy each to the society, the donors being Messrs. Cummings, Parsons, Butcher, Hassal, and Belcher. Other donations of this nature are expected, which will place the club in a financially sound position. The membership already reaches 40. The only condition on which the prizes are offered to the Royal Society is that the judges for the Game breed are to be approved of by the club—not a severe exaction.

In the various and varied reports of Gosford show the winning Buff Orpingtons were described as recent importations from England. However correct this may have been of some of the birds, those which won in this colour for Mr. Cadell were of his own breeding, which speaks well for the Buff blood already in the State.

The supply of poultry to the Sydney markets is always plentiful during the month of February, and this obtains the present year in a pronounced degree. Unfortunately, however, large quantities of both ducklings and chickens are of the most immature description, being both small and thin of flesh. All the approaching South African requirements are largely secured for that market, the past fortnight being responsible for the largest supplies to the Government export depot since the inception of the South African trade. At the present time 20 hands are engaged in plucking, packing, &c., from 800 to 900 head, according to the class, fowls or ducks, being the day's output. This drain on the local market, despite the large supplies, is keeping prices much in favour of producers.

The poultry section of the fifth annual Liverpool show, which was held during the present week, did not present any new features. It is yet rather early for the young birds, while the majority of the old ones are in moult. Still the Bonaventure Poultry Farm penned wellnigh 100 exhibits, and made a record score for even that successful farm, followed by Mr. G. E. Croft, the Kirby Poultry Farm, Thompson, Dobbie, Bloodworth, Rousewell, Gibbons, Agnew, and Turner. The section was a good one throughout.

The management of the Wollongong Agricultural Society caters well for the fancy, and always gets a hearty response in the way of entries. The late show, which was held at the close of last week, had again a good collection of 250 fowls on view; possibly they have been more numerous on one or two previous occasions, but the present gathering was superior in merit. The Bonaventure Poultry Farm, although winning about forty firsts and seconds, did not by any means appropriate all the prize cards, several other breeders getting into the award list. Messrs. Hemsworth won in Houdans, and also in Black Orpingtons, Cadell in Buff Orpingtons, White Wyandottes, and Minorcas. Dunlop had the Gold Wyandotte awards with the Gosford winner, the prizes in Silvers going to Bonaventure and Henry Brothers. Mr. Shipp won with moderate birds. Leghorns were good, Messrs. Kirton, ..., Bonaventure, Caldwell, and Nelson having the best. The district classes were well filled with moderate quality birds.

Says the English "Fanciers' Gazette" on the poultry fancy:—"The National Mouse Club Show held in conjunction with the Blackburn event. The list of silver cups, medals, &c., is marvellous. ... that poultry fanciers could rise to the occasion in such a way. Ten, eight, and six guinea challenge cups for a mouse! Yes! for a mouse, any mouse; and that is the secret. These mice fanciers are all true fanciers, and will make great sacrifices to keep alive and foster their fancy, supporting it by nearly forty cups, silver medals, besides good prizes, whereas the poultry fancy, we are afraid, are fast drifting the other way. The day has now arrived when the first consideration, with most poultry showers, is undoubtedly, 'how much can we get out of the shows?' not 'how much can we give and support them?' True, there are some good honest fanciers still, but they do not see the wisdom of giving, so that such speculators should act as often as they give, from business interest, ... it all in. But we must not forget that a National Mouse Show does not happen every day, and that poultry shows are now as common as garden fetes and fill every day in the week, except Sunday, and lately some attempt has been made to hold one upon that day too."

The poultry fancy in England of late years is assuming immense proportions, its ramifications extending to all classes of the community, its operations and influences amounting to a sort of freemasonry responsible for the bringing together of the Huddersfield weaver, the viscount, earl, and marchioness in the class of bantams or other fowls, each attempting to win fame in this friendly rivalry at numerous of the big English shows. The money value of the prize is but a minor element, the honour of having the best being the chief end of these contestants. The literature of the fancy is increasing rapidly, several journals now being issued in its interests, while the weekly monthlies now consider it not only fashionable, but to its readers' tastes to have special articles on the subject. The latest of these find place in the Christmas "Windsor," being a special article on fancy poultry by Mr. W. M. Elkington, a well-known British fancier, the illustrations of the various breeds being well executed, and include the Black Orpington sold in October last for £150. The writer claims King Solomon as the first accredited fancier, one of the objects of his journey to the Land of Ophir being to secure specimens of a gorgeous bird defined by the Hebrew word Tukiyyim, which is supposed to denote the peafowl. The writer says that the agricultural depression has nothing to do with the widespread interest in fancy fowls, and that these highly-bred prize birds have nothing to do with the common or garden laying hen that bravely endeavours to compete with her Continental rival, and that looking back 30 years it would be difficult to recognise the poultry fancy. In these days we were accustomed to look upon the successful exhibitor as one who had striven for years through despair and disappointment till at last his ideal was attained, but now all is changed. To-day my Lord A. or Lady B., having set their mind upon a bird that bids fair to win fame in the show pen, instruct their poultry-men to buy this bird at any price, and, having secured it, they are prepared to pay exorbitant prices for males or females, as the case may be, with which to breed; and so my Lord A. and Lady B. become the possessors of a wondrous prize strain, and their fame as clever fanciers is related as a matter of course, and the patronage of the nobility is a guarantee of the popularity of the fancy. The majority of the breeds have now thousands of followers, and at such shows as the Crystal Palace and Birmingham as many as 200 exhibitors compete in one variety, this spirit of honest competition here manifest constituting one of the most desirable characteristics of the fancy. A list of the long prices realised for show specimens during the past year is supplied, after which Orpingtons are referred to as follows:—"The Orpington has made such wonderful headway during the few years of its existence as a distinct breed that it is nowadays accepted as one of the finest general utilitarian fowls. The buff variety enjoys almost phenomenal popularity, and at the recent dairy show the one particular feature was the magnificent display of 79 Buff Orpington pullets in one class. Here is the breed that will solve the winter egg problem; in the Orpington the distressed Londoner may discern the first indications of a release from the horrors of the Franco-Belgian shop egg."

One of the best materials that a poultryman can use for supplying the requisite lime is oystershell or any other variety of shells. An experiment in this direction was made at the New York experiment station, and the result was such that the use of oystershells during the laying season, where they can be cheaply obtained, was strongly recommended. Shells are not the only source for the lime necessary for eggshells. Bones also contain a large percentage of lime, as is seen from the following analysis of clean dry bones of oxen and sheep:—Carbonate of lime, 6 to 7 per cent.; phosphate of lime, 58 to 63 per cent.; phosphate of magnesia, 1 to 2 per cent.; organic matter, 25 to 30 per cent. Fresh green bones also contain, besides the lime compounds, some protein or flesh-formers, which add to its value as a poultry food. The best way to render the bones available is to have them broken by means of the bone-cutter. One pound of green bone is generally considered sufficient for 16 hens. Besides the cut bones or oystershells, the hens must have a generous supply of some kind of grit, very coarse sand, or broken crockery. The grit serves as teeth for the hens, and when they are unable to obtain it indigestion and other ailments are sure to follow.

Colds result from many causes, usually exposure during damp weather, and may be indicated in different ways, such as by coughing or sneezing, by swelled faces, watery eyes and nostrils, and sometimes as canker in the mouth, in which case there may be roup. A simple cold can be easily managed and cured in a few days by keeping the fowls warm and dry. Castor oil in doses of one teaspoonful is particularly good when poured down the throat. In cases of canker, which is the worst form of cold or roup, more care is necessary. The sick fowls must be immediately removed from the flock, and pure water provided for them in clean dishes, in which a few drops of a solution of copperas may be added occasionally. Feed no hard grain, mix the soft food with hot milk, feeding it sparingly.

Scaly leg is a common disease, but where it is often prevalent nothing is done to cure or prevent it. It is caused by a parasite that lives among the scales on the shanks of fowls. At first they may cause a thickening of the scales, but later the shanks become so encrusted with the scales that they are double their original size. These, together with dirt and filth, present a disgusting sight. This is a trouble that is easily cured. One ounce of sulphur rubbed into 10oz. of vaseline will make a good ointment that will cure it. This should be applied every other evening for a week. Some make a stocking for the bird's shank by sewing on a piece of cloth, which is kept greased with vaseline or lard which has been mixed with a little kerosene. Kerosene is a simple and easily applied cure for this trouble.

Few people realise how sensitive the egg is to bad odours, and many even think that the shell is a sufficient protection against any contamination from without. But the shell is porous, and the albumen, or white of the egg, quickly absorbs and holds the flavour of any bad odour to which it is exposed, as it also does any bad flavour in the food given. It is scarcely less susceptible in this respect than the milk products. As the hen seems to be almost devoid of the sense of taste, care should be taken to give her only well-flavoured food, and the feeding of partially decayed meat or fish, onions, and other strong-smelling food should never be allowed when hens are laying. But care should also be taken to have the nests clean, and never put the eggs where they will be tainted by anything. If it is found necessary to use kerosene in the nests, do it at night, that the odor may evaporate before the hens use them.

POLICE COURTS.

Charges of Breaking and Entering.—At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Wilshire, S.M., George Bolton, aged 19, William Henry Colebrook, aged 25, and Edward Pollett, aged 27, were charged with having broken into and entered the dwelling-house of William Henry Garland, situated at 40 Railway-avenue, Petersham, and stolen therein two pairs of trousers and one tablecloth, valued at £3 10s. Evidence was given that during the absence on the Mountains of Mr. Garland and his family the three accused broke into the house. They were seen to do so, and a lad informed Mr. Gibbons, stationmaster at the Stanmore Railway Station. Gibbons gave chase, and overtook the three men, who were in a sulky. One of them got away, but the other two Gibbons succeeded in detaining, and with the assistance of the police he arrested them. The third man was subsequently arrested in Sydney, and identified by Mr. Gibbons as one of the three men he saw in a sulky. Evidence was also given that one of the accused hired the sulky. The goods were found lying at the bottom of the sulky when the men were arrested. Each of the accused was committed for trial at the next court of gaol delivery at Darlinghurst. Bail was allowed. The men were then charged with having, on January 30, broken into and entered the dwelling-house of William Bruce Pass, situated at Scouller-street, Marrickville, and stolen therein a gold ring, a gold chain, a silver bracelet, a gold brooch, a silver brooch, one seal, a silver shield, a small packet of opals, and a number of Jubilee coins of the value of £2 10s. On this charge the accused were also committed for trial at the court of gaol delivery at Darlinghurst, and were allowed bail.

Committed for Trial.—At the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. J. L. King, D.S.M., Nellie Kermode, 19, a servant, was charged with stealing in the dwelling-house of Annie Walsh, 252 Elizabeth-street, one gold watch and one gold chain, of the value of £10, her property, on January 18; also a diamond ring, a gold bangle, one gold-mounted boar's tusk, one pearl necklet, one purse, a quantity of lady's clothing, and £1 in money, of the value in all of £20, the property of Stella Smith, on January 18. Evidence having been given the accused was committed for trial at the Central Criminal Court on February 10. Bail was allowed.

A Case Reheard.—At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Wilshire, S.M., Sub-Inspector Elliott proceeded against Andrew Levy, licensee of the Carlisle Castle Hotel, Newtown, for having failed on demand at his licensed premises to produce to Sergeant Agnew the endorsement of the transfer of the license of the hotel, without some reasonable excuse being given by him for the non-production thereof. This case was heard during last November, when the information was dismissed. Sub-Inspector Elliott appealed to the Supreme Court, and Mr. Justice Stephen found that the magistrate had come to a wrong decision. His Honor therefore reversed the decision of the magistrate, and ordered the case to be reheard. This was done yesterday, and Mr. C. Bull, who appeared in the first case, again appeared yesterday, and on this occasion pleaded guilty. A fine of 10s, with 5s 6d costs, was imposed, in default imprisonment for three days.

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LAW REPORT.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.

VOLUNTARY SEQUESTRATIONS.

Stephen Laurence Guy, of Ashfield, Civil servant. Mr. N. F. Giblin, official assignee.

Joseph Parrington, of Blacktown, hawker. Mr. W. H. Palmer, official assignee.

Richard Elworthy Pym, of Windsor-street, Paddington, and carried on business as a grocer at Paddington and Darlinghurst. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Mr. Acting District Court Judge Harris.)

ACTION FOR ALLEGED SLANDER.

Farrelly v. Smith.

Mr. O'Reilly, instructed by Messrs. Crick and Carroll, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Gannon, instructed by Mr. T. A. Reddall, for the defendant. This was an action brought by Mary Farrelly, of Bream-street, Coogee, widow, against Mrs. A. J. Smith, of Oberon-street, Randwick, to recover £200 compensation for alleged slander. Defendant denied that she had used the words attributed to her.

His Honor found for the defendant, after hearing the evidence of the latter and one or two other witnesses.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—Monday, February 10.

Master's Office.—Before the Deputy Registrar in Equity.—At 11 a.m.: Taylor and others v. Osborne and others, to tax costs; same v. same, ditto. At 2 p.m.: Re will of H. Bennett, deceased, to tax costs. At 3 p.m.: Sneddon v. Kyle, to settle minutes or order.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge in Equity.—At 10 a.m.: Pastoral Finance Association v. the Sydney Harbour Trust Commissioners, motion for injunction; Donnithorne v. Richard, motion to continue injunction; in re will of John Carr (part heard); Matthews v. Gordon, originating summons; Anderson v. Neale, motion for decree on admissions; Blue v. Dibbs, originating summons; Price and others v. Price, motion for directions, &c.; Cowper v. M'Donald Gold Mines, motion for decree; re will of Charles O'Connell, deceased, and Trustee Act, petition for payment out.

Before his Honor the Judge in Bankruptcy, at 11.30 a.m.—Motions under section 34: Re John Baper..., and re Richard Chapman. Appeal from Registrar's decision allowing objections to be filed: Re Graham Harris, ex parte Charles Thomas Brockhoff.

Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy, at 11 a.m.—Hearing of creditors' petition: Joseph Booker v. Wilhelmina R. Madardy. Examination under section 30: Re David D'Arcy.

DARLING HARBOUR WHARFS RESUMPTION CASES.

(To be taken in No. Jury Court, King-street.)

Monday, February 10.—Robert Reid and Co., Limited, v. the Minister, part heard; Reid v. same; Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Company, Limited, v. same, same v. same.

For Judgment.—Borough of Balmain v. Mort's Dock and Engineering Company, Limited, in re Charles C. Buzzard and another and Stamp Duties Act, Lukey v. Sydney Harbour Trust Commissioners, in re arbitration between New Pinnacle Group S.M. Company and the Lubrig Coal and Ore Dressing Appliances, Limited, Harris v. Carruthers, same v. same.

Motions on Notice.—Ex parte W. G. G. Lucas (prohibition).

Motions, &c.—Ex parte William Porter, prohibition; ex parte James Murray and others, prohibition; ex parte Leonard Munroe, prohibition; ex parte David T. Burt, prohibition; ex parte J. G. Lawler, prohibition; ex parte George Dale, prohibition; ex parte J. St. Leger Kynaston, quo warranto; ex parte Ernest A. Oxelman, prohibition; ex parte Frank Schuck, prohibition.

Motions Nisi for New Trial.—Brown v. Citizens' Life Assurance Company, Limited, Axtens and another v. A. Shadler, Limited, Hodge v. Rodd, Hart and another v. the Minister for Works.

New Trial Motions.—Burkitt v. Fairfax and others, Mellor v. Parker, Toohey and another v. Ptolemy, Helmore v. Simons, Cooper v. Gardiner, O'Keefe v. Malone, same v. same.

Demurrers and Special Cases.—In re William B. Thompson (appellant) and William Timmins (respondent), Police v. Black, same v. Griffiths, same v. Phillips, Tait v. the Pharmacy Board of New South Wales, Davies v. Tutton, A.J.S. Bank, Limited, v. Hogan and others, same v. Meldrum, Potter v. Smith.

District Court Appeal.—Fish and another v. Henley.

Equity Appeal.—The Great Cobar Copper Mining Company, Limited, and Companies Act, 1899.

DISTRICT COURT.—Monday, February 10, 1902.

(Before his Honor Acting-Judge Harris, at 10.15 a.m.).

Davis v. the Century Gold-mining Company, No Liability (part heard), Commissioners of Taxation v. Fraser, Dalrymple v. Asher, Dalwood and Co., Limited, v. Marshall, Fitzgerald v. M'Evoy and others, Dalzell v. Dobbie, Siegel v. Morgan, Melliday v. Farnell and another, Doyle v. Schn ider, Flanagan and others v. Suns, Kirby and another v. Gamford, Summerhayes v. Boyd and another.

Note.—The list will be called over punctually at 10.15 a.m.

(Before the Registrar in No. 2 Court.)

Union Finance Association, Limited, v. Fisher, 10.30 a.m.; Farr v. Benson, 10.40 a.m.; Smith v. Taylor, 10.50 a.m.; Brennan v. Williams, 11 a.m.; Kauri Timber Company, Limited, v. Knapman, 11.10 a.m.

CRIMINAL COURT.

The following is the list of cases and offences charged which are to be tried at the Criminal Sessions, commencing on Monday next at Darlinghurst, before Mr. Acting Justice Pring:—Florence Clifford, unlawfully using an instrument with intent; Sarah Mahony, murder; John Simpson, conspiracy; Charles Creagh, escape; Ada Marshall and Anne M'Carthy, assault and robbery; James Williams and William Minchan, assault and robbery; John Fearish, robbery; Charles Creagh, manslaughter; Margaret Black, arson.

CASES FOR MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10.

Florence Clifford, unlawfully using instrument with intent; John Fearish, robbery.

Notice.—Only the witnesses in the cases set down for trial on Monday need be in attendance at the Court on that day.

QUARTER SESSIONS.—Monday, February 10.

William Brown, robbery; Edward Smith, horse-stealing and larceny, three charges; Thomas Wilson, shop-breaking; Michael West and George Webster, burglary.

BREACHES OF THE CUSTOMS ACT.

ILLEGALLY IMPORTING VINES.

At the Water Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Smithers, S.M., Inspector J. T. T. Donohue, of the Customs, proceeded against Cidraxtin Pascuale, an Italian, on a charge of having imported certain prohibited goods, viz., a package containing grape vines, which under the provisions of the Vine Diseases Act of 1893 are prohibited from being imported without the permission of the Minister.

Mr. Cargill appeared to prosecute.

The defendant pleaded guilty and was fined £10 and costs, and was ordered to be imprisoned until the fine was paid.

He was also charged with smuggling a case of vinos, a case of cheese, and fruit, and two parcels of copper moulds. He pleaded guilty, and was fined £20 and costs, and was ordered to be imprisoned until the fine was paid.

Angelo Schilder, an Italian, was also fined £20 and costs on a charge of aiding and abetting Pascuale in smuggling the goods. He was ordered to be imprisoned until the fine was paid.

A SIMPLE TEST.

If you suffer from Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Backache, Sciatica, Gravel, or Bladder troubles you may be certain that your kidneys are affected. If you suffer from Indigestion, Jaundice, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Anæmia, or Blood disorders, your liver is at fault.

Put some urine, passed the first thing in the morning, in a bottle. If, next morning, it is milky, or cloudy, or reddish in colour, or shows a sediment like brick-dust, or if particles float about in it, your kidneys are deranged, and require immediate attention.

Warner's Safe Cure is a specific cure for all kidney and liver diseases and the disorders ensuing from inefficient action of those vital organs.—Advt.

Some excellent photographs of our new State Governor, Vice-Admiral Sir Harry Rawson, K.C.B., with a sketch of his career, are appearing in this week's "Sydney Mail."—Advt.

ALLEGED FATAL ASSAULT.

CONLUSION OF THE INQUEST.

The adjourned inquest respecting the death of a labourer named Richard Nagle, aged 45 years, who died at Sydney Hospital on January 30, was concluded before the City Coroner (Mr. J. C. Woore) and a jury yesterday. A young man named Thomas Donnelly, who was arrested on suspicion of having caused Nagle's death, was present in court.

George Epstein, barman at the Royal Standard Hotel, said that he was on duty on January 17 and was not aware of any row having occurred there.

Charles Henry Cahill (recalled) said that on January 17 he was in the bar of the Royal Standard Hotel and saw a scuffle between deceased and man named Birmingham. The latter pushed deceased from him, and he fell to the floor. Nagle did not appear to be hurt and got up. After that they all left the bar. A few minutes later witness heard the sound as of breaking glass, but had no idea what caused the crash. When Nagle fell, after Birmingham struck him, he fell gradually on his back. The blow, which was in the face, was half hit and half shove. Witness had known Donnelly for a couple of months, and had always found him a peaceable man.

Margaret Nagle (recalled) said that she did not notice any mark or cut on deceased's lip.

John Ellis, boots at the Royal Standard Hotel, said that between 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. on the 17th ultimo he heard a crash of glass at the door leading into Bathurst-street. There was some glass on the footpath and some in the passage. It was the remains of a broken beer glass, and witness swept it up. He did not see Nagle or Donnelly at the time.

Constable Winterton said that on the 17th ultimo he saw deceased sitting on the footpath near the Royal Standard Hotel. His back was against a wall, and he appeared to be unconscious. There was a slight bruise on the lower lip. He was taken to Sydney Hospital, where Dr. Forster dressed his lip, and said that he could do nothing with him as he was dead drunk. The deceased was then taken to the Central Police Station and charged with drunkenness. He was locked up in one of the cells, and left the following day after the rising of the Court.

Sergeant Brooks said that he was in charge of the Central Police Station on the 17th ultimo. He saw deceased when he was brought to the station, and he then appeared to be hopelessly drunk. He did not notice any injuries about him. Witness saw him frequently after that, and he was lying on a stretcher each time.

Sergeant Gibbons and Senior-constable Lovern gave evidence to the effect that deceased appeared uninjured during the time he was in the station.

Senior-constable M'Intosh said that, in company with Senior-constables Murdock and Nutley, he arrested Donnelly on the 31st ultimo. When asked if he was at the hotel on January 17 he said, "No, I was not; I was carting wood: I left for home at 2 o'clock and remained at home with my wife all that afternoon and night." He was taken to the Central Police Station, and was subsequently identified as the man who had assaulted Nagle. He then said, "I merely pushed Nagle to keep him away from Birmingham, and he fell on his back outside the hotel."

Senior-constable Murdock said that he saw the deceased at his residence, Mary-street, Surry Hills. He refused to give any information, and said that he did not intend to prosecute anyone.

George Fenton, a carter, residing at Poplar-street, Surry Hills, said that he was at the hotel on the 17th ultimo, and heard a dispute between Birmingham and Nagle about the Boer war. They rushed at each other and both fell. When they left the bar Nagle threw a glass at Birmingham. Witness, assisted by a cabman named Wade, took Birmingham away. As far as he knew, Donnelly did not take any part in the row.

Thomas Donnelly, carter, said that he had not seen Nagle to his knowledge until the evening of the 17th ultimo. He was then in the bar of the Royal Standard Hotel. A man named Birmingham was also present, and he and Nagle had a discussion about the Boer war. They rushed at each other and both fell to the floor. Birmingham was then taken out by Fenton. The deceased walked to Bathurst-street and threw a glass at Birmingham. Witness told Nagle to go away as he would cause trouble. He then pushed him with his hand and he fell on to the footpath. Nobody went to his assistance, and when witness left he was lying as he fell, having made no attempt to get up. Birmingham was a friend of his.

The jury, after a short retirement, returned a verdict of manslaughter against Thomas Donnelly. Accused was then committed for trial at the next sitting of the Criminal Court. Bail was allowed, self in £200 and sureties of a similar amount.

ASSOCIATION FOR ASSISTING DISCHARGED PRISONERS.

The monthly council meeting of the above association was held at the office, 26 Elizabeth-street, on Thursday afternoon. Mr. J. St. Vincent-Welch presided, and the following gentlemen were present:—Messrs. B. R. Wise, R. Windeyer, F. S. Boyce, H. M. Hamilton, C. R. Walsh, Captain Neitenstein (Comptroller-General of Prisons), Mr. T. R. Icely, the Rev. C. E. Amos, and Mr. A. H. Collis (Governor Darlinghurst Gaol). Apologies for non-attendance were received from Messrs. William Robson, G. J. Cohen, C. B. Fairfax, E. Fosbery, and the Rev. P. Philippstein. A record of the cases that had been dealt with since the previous council meeting was presented, showing that out of a total of 24, 19 had been assisted and five refused. In several cases employment had been found for the applicants, and these were giving satisfaction to their employers. Others had been returned to their friends, while others had been assisted in making a fresh start in life. A further long list of applications was considered and dealt with.

ACCIDENT TO A WATER MAIN.

Yesterday morning, during the progress of the laying of a 24-inch water main along Elizabeth-street, near to Cleveland-street, an accident happened to one of the valves of the pipes. The water was thrown into the air in a large volume, and then rushed down the thoroughfare named in a great stream. The locality was quickly flooded, and the houses and furniture in one or two instances was damaged. Word was sent to the engineer of the Water and Sewerage Board, and Mr. Smail quickly set a gang of men to work, with the result that in a short time matters were righted. The event caused considerable excitement to the residents in the immediate neighbourhood of the accident.

TRIAL OF A WHITEWASHING MACHINE.

A public trial of the Triumph whitewashing machine was given yesterday at the foot of Bathurst-street by the agents, Messrs. E. A. Dawbarn and Co. A very old building under the control of the Harbour Trust was selected for the operations. Amongst those who were present were the City Surveyor (Mr. Gordon), a number of representatives of the different municipalities, merchants' firms, and contractors. The trial was regarded as very satisfactory.

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Government Notices.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

APPLICATIONS having been made to bring the lands hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of Indefeasible Title will issue, unless Caveats be lodged in accordance with the Third Schedule to the said Act, on or before the date named opposite each case respectively.

Property.	Name of Applicant.	Residence.	Date up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
No. 11,439. County of Cumberland, parish of Field of Mars, 8 acres 1 rood 21½ perches, situated at the junction of Aiken's-lane and Taylor-street, at Pennant Hills, adjoining the properties of John Aiken and H. E. Read,—is part of 30 acres granted to John Aiken.	William Richard Murray	Parramatta	March 14, 1902.
No. 11,982. Borough of Mosman, 3 roods 7 perches, situated in Avenue-road and Raglan-street, adjoining the properties of the Hon. W. B. Gore, L. L. Farncomb, Mrs. J. Dwyer, W. H. Smith, the executors of the late Dr. Clark, and Jane Holloway,—is part of 30 acres (portion No. 17) of parish granted to Archibald Mosman.	David James Thompson Munro.	Mosman	March 14, 1902.
No. 11,995. City of Sydney, 1 acre 14½ perches, situated in Quay, Thomas, and Ultimo streets,—comprises lots No. 1, 9, and 10 of block 4 of the Ultimo Estate, and is part of 12 acres 3 roods and of 34 acres granted to John Harris.	Samuel Hordern	Sydney	March 14, 1902.
No. 11,996. City of Sydney, 28½ perches, situated in Dixon-street, Little Hay-street, and Kimber-lane, adjoining the property of the Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society, Limited,—is block B 4 of Dickson's subdivision of part of allotment No. 1 of section No. 1 granted to John Dickson.	Samuel Hordern	Sydney	March 14, 1902.
No. 12,013. Borough of Petersham, 2 roods 35½ perches, situated on the south-western side of Constitution-road, adjoining the properties of H. J. Spier and W. Thompson (trustees of W. Stoddart, deceased), Mrs. S. Jones, W. F. Butler, Mr. Pollard, Mrs. Cohen, Mrs. T. J. Rose, and W. Slade,—comprises lots Nos. 8 and 9 of section No. 2 of the Dulwich Hill Estate, and is part of 25 acres granted to William Adams, and of 25 acres granted to Michael Griffin.	Henry Smith	Marrickville	March 14, 1902.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Land Titles Office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated at Sydney this 24th day of January, 1902, at the Registrar-General's Department.
W. G. H.-WILLIAMS, Registrar-General.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

In the matter of the application of George Henry Taylor, the mortgagee under memorandum of mortgage No. 137,605, dated 6th December, 1887, from George Bathurst Young, over the whole of the land described in Certificate of Title, vol. 886, fol. 39.

WHEREAS the abovenamed mortgagee has made application for an order for foreclosure of the mortgage above referred to, accompanied by such evidence of default for six months and other facts as required by sections 61 and 62 of the Real Property Act: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the said Act, that the land comprised within the said mortgage as hereunder particularised is offered and will remain open for sale until the 7th March, 1902, which date has been appointed as the time upon or after which an ORDER FOR FORECLOSURE, which will exclude all claim by the abovenamed mortgagor, and of any person claiming through or under him, will be issued by me to the applicant, unless in the interval a sufficient amount has been realised by the sale of such lands to satisfy the principal and interest moneys due, and all costs and expenses occasioned by such proceedings, and interest up to the time of such sale.

Description of Property.	Amount to be realised.	Last day limited for Payment.
30¾ perches, being part of allotment No. 16, section No. 9, situated in Darling-street, town and parish Dubbo, county Lincoln.	£450 14s 3d, being principal and interest up to 16th September, 1901, together with costs and expenses. Interest up to time of sale to be added.	March 7, 1902

A plan and further particulars may be obtained by application at the Land Titles Office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated at Sydney this 24th day of January, 1902, at the Registrar-General's Department.
W. G. H.-WILLIAMS, Registrar-General.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, February 7th, 1902.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

TENDERS for the Works, &c., specified below will be received at this Department until 2 o'clock p.m. on the dates mentioned. For conditions see Government Gazette.

MONDAY, 10th FEBRUARY.
Bridge over the Lachlan River at Goolagong. Fresh tenders.
Bridge, Molong Creek, Main Western-road.
Supply at Port Kembla of 1500 Sleepers.
Supply of Span and Anchor Poles for Tramways generally.
Supply of 3000 cubic yards Blue Metal, Contract No. 1, Tramway Merewether to the Beach, Newcastle.
Painting and Repairs, Post and Telegraph Office, Petersham.

MONDAY, 17th FEBRUARY.
Bridges, Nos. 1 and 2, over Adelong Creek, at Adelong.
Re-covering the Roofs of Lightkeepers' Quarters, &c., Richmond River Lighthouse.
Construction, &c., of Iron Staircase, &c., Workshops, Bathurst Gaol.
Repairs, &c., Lighthouse and Keepers' Quarters, Macquarie Lighthouse, South Head.
Gundagai–Tumut Railway—
Contract 12, Supply of Ironbark and Box Piles.
Contract 13, Supply of Ironbark Timber.
Contract 14, Supply of Hardwood Timber.
Contract 15, Supply of Wrought Iron.
Construction of Water Tank, Lismore Experimental Farm, Wollongbar.
Supply of Wrought Iron, Grafton to Casino Railway, Contract No. 4. Time extended.
Supply of 5500 cubic yards Blue Metal Ballast for Tramway, Elizabeth-street, Redfern.

MONDAY, 24th FEBRUARY.
Bridge, Brickyard Creek, road Animbo to Braidwood.
Footbridge, Adjungbilly Creek at Bongongo-road, Gobarralong to Bongongo.
Construction of Jetty, Eatonsville, Clarence River.
Supply of Steel, Wrought Iron, Cast Iron, Cast Steel, and General Work, Sewerage Contract No. 352.

MONDAY, 3rd MARCH.
Bridge, Bogolong Creek, main South road.
Additions, &c., Police Sergeant's Quarters, Quirindi.
Extension of Baths at Tathra, South Coast.

MONDAY, 10th MARCH.
Bridge, Mason's Gully, main Northern road.
Bridge, Thalabah Creek, road Clarence Town to Limeburners' Creek.
Construction of Wharf, &c., Murwillumbah, Tweed River. Fresh Tenders.

MONDAY, 17th MARCH.
Bridge, Murrumbidgee River at Yaouk, road Queanbeyan to Kiandra.
(6a-48) E. W. O'SULLIVAN.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, 6th February, 1902.

NOTICE TO SLEEPER CUTTERS.

This Department is prepared to accept delivery of IRONBARK SLEEPERS required for the railway, Narrabri to Walgett and Collarendabri. Delivery will be taken at the following places and payment made at the rate set against each place:—
Round Swamp, 2s 7d per sleeper, including royalty.
Wee Waa, 2s 10d per sleeper, including royalty.
It is estimated that about 375,000 Sleepers will be required, and thus employment for between 300 and 400 Cutters will be provided. For further particulars apply to the Railway Construction Branch, Sydney; or to the Engineer in charge of the line, Narrabri West.
E. W. O'SULLIVAN,
(6b-261) Minister for Public Works.

Public Works Department, Sydney, 4th February, 1902.

TENDERS will be received up to 2 o'clock p.m. on MONDAY, the 10th day of February, 1902, from Persons willing to Tender for the following ROAD WORK, Contract No. 112, 01-02, Supply and Spreading 280 cubic yards 2½in. gauge Basalt, Beach-road, Rushcutter Bay-road. Tenders to be addressed to the President of the Tender Board, and endorsed "Tender for Road Contract." Specification may be seen and forms of Tender obtained in the Contractors' Room of this department.
WALTER A. SMITH,
(6g-629) Assistant Engineer.

Department of Public Works, Sydney, February 7th, 1902.

TENDERS will be received up to (2) two o'clock on MONDAY, 17th February, 1902, from persons willing to tender for the following ROAD WORK:—Contract No. 113-01-02:—Road: Government Road, from Heathcote Railway Station to National Park. Specifications may be seen and forms of tender may be obtained in the Contractor's Room of this department.
WALTER A. SMITH,
(6g-637) Assistant Engineer.

Government Architect's Office, 5th February, 1902.

TENDERS, addressed to the Government Architect, Sydney, will be received up to noon on MONDAY, the 10th February, 1902, for a Three-ton Hand Crane, in perfect condition, to be delivered to the works at P. A. Hospital additions. Tenderers to state whether new or second-hand crane, also where same may be inspected.
W. L. VERNON,
(6d-32) Government Architect.

PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD, 80 Young-street, Sydney, 7th February, 1902.

The PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD invite applications for the undermentioned positions in the Public Service.

APPLICATIONS must be made on a form for the purpose, obtainable from this office or from Clerks of Petty Sessions in country districts, and must reach the undersigned not later than the dates specified.

Further particulars are published in the Government Gazette, and can also be obtained on application to this Office.

MONDAY, 10th FEBRUARY, 1902.
ASSISTANT to the LECTURER in AGRICULTURE at the SYDNEY TECHNICAL COLLEGE. (Unclassified.) Salary £100 per annum. Applicants must produce satisfactory testimonials as to character and fitness, and be prepared to assist the Lecturer in teaching the students in accordance with the syllabus. Particulars of the duties, which will include attendance at the classes and Saturday afternoon excursions, can be obtained from the Superintendent of Technical Education, Technical College, Sydney.

CARETAKER and CLEANER at the Goulburn Technical College. (General Division). Salary £75 per annum, with quarters. Applicants must produce satisfactory testimonials as to character and fitness. Suitable applicants already in the Public Service will have first consideration. Particulars of the duties can be obtained from the Superintendent of Technical Education, Technical College, Sydney, or the Resident Master, Technical College, Goulburn.

LADY SUPERINTENDENT in the Government Registry Office for Females. (General Division.) Commencing salary £130 per annum, rising by annual increments of £10 to a maximum salary of £150 per annum, subject to satisfactory service, and to the necessary funds being voted by Parliament. Applicants must not be more than 40 years of age.

ASSISTANT in the Government Registry Office for Females. (General Division). Salary £50 per annum. Applicants must not be more than 40 years of age.

DISPENSER at George-street Asylum for the Infirm, Parramatta. (Professional Division.) Salary £95 per annum and quarters, rations, fuel, and light, valued at £25 per annum. Applicants must be registered by the Pharmacy Board. Candidates will be required to submit themselves to a competitive examination, the date of which will be notified hereafter. Candidates, excepting persons already permanently employed in the Public Service, will be required to pay an examination fee of 10s, which must be lodged with a Clerk of Petty Sessions or the Treasury, and the receipt therefor forwarded to the Secretary to the Board with the form of application.

WEDNESDAY, 12th FEBRUARY, 1902.
GENERAL SERVANT (Female) at the Coast Hospital (General Division). Salary £30 per annum, with quarters, rations, fuel, light, and uniform. Applicants must not be more than 40 years of age, and preference will be given to those between the ages of 20 and 30.

JUNIOR ATTENDANT (Male) in the Public Library. (General Division.) Salary £39 per annum. Applicants must be between the ages of 16 and 20 years.

MONDAY, 17th FEBRUARY, 1902.
ARCHITECTURAL DRAFTSMAN (temporary), Department of Public Works. Salary £300 per annum, subject to the experience and ability of applicant selected.

SHIPPING INSPECTOR and SURVEYOR, Department of Navigation. (General Division.) Salary minimum £300 per annum, with annual increments of £10 to a maximum salary of £350, subject to satisfactory service, and to the necessary funds being voted by Parliament. The appointment will be made on a six months' probation. Applicants must not be more than 40 years of age, and must show that they have been in command of a vessel whilst holding a Master's Foreign-going Certificate of Competency. Preference will be given to qualified candidates employed in the Public Service.

BOATMEN. Four vacancies, one at Lake Macquarie, one at Shoalhaven, one at Manning River, and one at Camden Haven. (General Division.) Salary £96 per annum, with quarters valued at £18, and £8 annual increments, subject to the necessary funds being voted by Parliament, up to the maximum of £126 per annum.

SEAMEN FOR PILOT STEAMER AJAX, STATIONED AT NEWCASTLE. Four vacancies. (General Division.) Salary £113 per annum.

Applicants for the above positions, which are in the Department of Navigation, must not be more than 40 years of age, and must have served at sea at least 4 years before the mast.

By order of the Board.
J. W. HOLLIMAN, Secretary.
(6a-165)

Department of Public Service Tender Board, 6 Bligh-street, Sydney, 7th February, 1902.

TENDERS for the SUPPLIES and SERVICES specified below will be received at the Board's Office up to 2.15 p.m. on the date mentioned. (For conditions see Government Gazette.)

FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, 1902.
Supply and Delivery for a period of twelve months from 1st July, 1902:—
Boots
Broomsticks, &c.
Carpets—Taking-up, Beating, and Relaying
Chandlery
Coffins.
Grindery, Leather, &c.
Saddlery, Harness, &c.
Stationery, &c.—
Part I., Account Books, &c.
Part II., Envelopes
Part III., General Stationery
Part IV., Typewriting Materials
Stoves—Cooking (locally made)
Waterproof Cloth
Writing Inks.
Tender forms and further particulars may be obtained at the Government Stores, Young-street, where also the standard samples may be inspected.
Supply and delivery for a period of twelve months from 1st July, 1902:—
Indigo-dyed Blue Venetians, Serges, and Pilot Cloth, Grey Woollens, Tweeds, Bedford Cord, &c., &c.
Tender forms and further particulars may be obtained at the Government Stores, Young-street, where also the standard samples may be inspected.
Supply and delivery of machinery for Government Printing Office. Tender forms and further particulars may be obtained at the Government Printing Office.
Leasing the Public Wharf and Shed at Bermagui. Tender forms and further particulars may be obtained at the Police Station, Bermagui.
Conveyance of Coal for a period of twelve months from the 1st July, 1902:—
Newcastle to Tweed River
Newcastle to Richmond River
Newcastle to Clarence River
Newcastle to Macleay River
Newcastle to Manning River
Newcastle to Nambucca River
Newcastle to Cook's and George's Rivers
Newcastle to Bellinger River
Newcastle to Hastings River
Newcastle to Camden Haven
Newcastle to Cape Hawke
Newcastle to Myall River
Newcastle to Hawkesbury River (including Brisbane Water and Pittwater)
Newcastle to Port Hacking (alternative tenders)
Wollongong to Shoalhaven
Wollongong to Moruya
Wollongong to Port Hacking (alternative tenders).
Tender forms and further particulars may be obtained at the Government Stores, Young-street, and from the Clerks of Petty Sessions at Newcastle and Wollongong.
MANDER ROSS,
(9b-33) Secretary and Executive Member.

Department of Mines and Agriculture, Board for Exports, Bridge-street-chambers, Sydney, 4th February, 1902.

TENDERS are invited for the Supply of 30,000 more or less POULTRY and RABBIT and OTHER CRATES, to be delivered at the Government Cold Storage Depot, Pyrmont, during 1902, at such times and in such quantities as may be required to the satisfaction of the Inspecting Officer. Tenderer whose quotation is likely to be accepted will be required to supply one sample Crate to each size specified, showing nature and quality of timber, size and description of nails used, and general make and appearance of Crate. Specimen Crate to be branded with tenderer's name. Specification of sizes of Crates may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Government Cold Stores, Pyrmont, where Sample Crates can also be seen. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders will be received up to February 14th, 1902, addressed to the Secretary, Board for Exports, Bridge-street, Sydney, marked "Tender for Crates."
(8e-2) H. V. JACKSON, Secretary.

METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

TENDERS, &c., for the works specified below will be received up to 2 p.m. on the dates mentioned. For particulars see Government Gazette.
10th FEBRUARY, 1902.
Supply and Delivery of 500 SPLIT POSTS for the Sewage Farm, Botany.
17th FEBRUARY, 1902.
Construction of 4260 lineal feet of STONEWARE PIPE SEWERS in the Borough of North Sydney.
WILLIAM HOLMES, Secretary.
341 Pitt-street, Sydney, 31st January, 1902. (6l-92)

ROYAL NAVY CONTRACTS.

TENDERS will be received up to Noon on TUESDAY, 4th March, for the Supply of the following articles for H. M. Naval Service during the twelve months commencing 1st April next:—

FRESH PROVISIONS at Sydney and the various outports on the Australian Station.

RUM, CHOCOLATE, BISCUITS, TEA, MUSTARD, VINEGAR, LIME JUICE, and SOAP at Sydney.

Forms of Tender and further information can be obtained on application.

WM. HOGARTH, Victualling Store Officer.
H. M. Victualling Yard. Sydney, 31st January, 1902.

Commonwealth of Australia, Postmaster-General's Department, 7th January, 1902.

QUEENSLAND.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Brisbane, up till noon on MONDAY, 14th April, 1902, for the Supply of the undermentioned Telephone Material viz.:—
150 Telephones, branching system, table sets, to sealed pattern No. 8 and to specification 2.
300 Telephones, branching system, wall sets, to sealed pattern No. 9 and to specification 4.
2 Portable Telephones, series, to sealed pattern No. 10 and to specification 3.
6 Switchboards, metallic circuit, to sealed pattern No. 16, but for 2 lines.
6 Switchboards, metallic circuit, to sealed pattern No. 16, but for 3 lines.
12 Switchboards, metallic circuit, to sealed pattern No. 16, but for 4 lines.
4 Switchboards, metallic circuit, to sealed pattern No. 16, but for 6 lines.
2 Switchboards, metallic circuit, to sealed pattern No. 16, but for 8 lines.
2 Switchboards, metallic circuit, to sealed pattern No. 16, but for 10 lines, and fitted with two pairs of cords, listening and ringing keys, and clearing-out drops, as shown in drawing 306, W. E. Co.
2 Switchboards, metallic circuit, to sealed pattern No. 16, but for 12 lines, and fitted with two pairs of cords, listening and ringing keys, and clearing-out drops, as shown in drawing 306, W. E. Co.
1 Switchboard, metallic circuit, to sealed pattern No. 16, but for 15 lines, and fitted with three pairs of cords, listening and ringing keys, and clearing-out drops, as shown in drawing 306, W. E. Co.
100 Cords for metallic circuit switchboards, to sealed pattern No. 41.
1 Head Receiver, double, similar to figure 5032, International Electric Co.'s List, 11th edition.
18 Head Receivers and Cords, as per sample No. 21.
200 Cords, Receiver, single, as per sample No. 18.
150 Diaphragms, for double pole bell receivers.
12 Switches (Exchange Intermediate), as per figure No. 450, Ericsson and Co.'s catalogue, 4th edition. (Bell to be 1000 ohms, and connected in leak with switch in through position.)
Tenderers must state the time required for delivery of the several items. This time will be counted from the date of the notification of the acceptance of the tender.
Tenders may be sent in for the whole or any portion of the material required.
Specifications and samples can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the General Post Offices, Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide, Perth, and Hobart.
Tenders must be on the proper forms, and in accordance with clause 18 of the General Conditions.
Neither the lowest nor any tender will necessarily be accepted.
JAMES G. DRAKE, Postmaster-General.

Miscellaneous

MR. ALEXANDER COLE, Clairvoyant, will resume practice at his rooms, 88 Bathurst-street, on MONDAY NEXT, 10th Feb. Hours of attendance, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Wednesdays excepted. Saturdays, 10 to noon only.

MRS. Schmidtker (from Germany), Palmist, 38 Myrtle-st., city, off Newtown-rd. 10 a.m. till 9.30 p.m.

CONSULT SASSOON, Scientific Palmist, 329 (only) Elizabeth-st., Foy's-buildings, 11 to 8 daily.

MDME. SYLVESTER, Palmist. Fee 1s; ladies only. No. 390 Riley-st., one door off Cleveland-st., S. H.

CLAIRVOYANCE.—Mrs. Maclean, 105 Flinders-st., Moore Park, daily, 11 to 9.

WANTED, kind PERSON Take Care child 2 years 9 months. N. Z., Victoria P.O., Park-st.

WANTED, kind Person to Board little Girl, no children preferred. M. G., Summer Hill P.O.

ALBERT and SON'S for 1s Ticket Band Contest Art Union, drawn February 28th. 175 prizes, value £775.

MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For Sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

For Continuation see Index to Advertisements.

Houses Land, &c., Wanted.

A.—YOUR PROPERTY offered at Auction, £1 covers notice boards, inspection, &c.; private sales, no charge except commission.
E. C. V. BROUGHTON, 113 Pitt-street.

A.—Temporary Loans on deeds, small amounts, no expense. Ernest C. V. Broughton, 113 Pitt-st.

ASHFIELD.—Wanted, Block LAND, 50ft. frontage. State price and street, J. M. B., Herald, King-st.

ADVERTISER will Exchange large Residential Property in the Western Suburbs, cost £5000, for Investment Property, Cottages, value £3000, showing fair return, at North Sydney or Mosman. Address (principals only) Nybranet, Herald Office.

CREMORNE.—Wanted, small Allotment, state lowest price cash, also particulars. E. Oates, Herald Office.

CALL on R. T. FORSYTH, Penshurst-street, Willoughby, for PROPERTIES to LET or for SALE in Chatswood, Willoughby, &c. Tel., 145 Chatswood.

CASH Purchaser for COTTAGE at Glebe Point, 4 or 5 rooms, hall, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, and all modern conveniences.
JARRETT and JARRETT, 126 Pitt-street, Sydney.

CASH BUYER requires Brick COTTAGE, 4 rooms, kit., all convs., near Leichhardt Town Hall or Post-office, up to £350. Full particulars to FOORD and LOWE, Johnstone-street, Annandale.

CASH BUYER for three or four HOUSES or COTTAGES, about £400, each showing 10 per cent. gross.
A. MARGOSCHIS, 53 Regent-street, Redfern.

CITY AND SUBURBS.
WALTER RUSH AND CO., LICENSED AUCTIONEERS, VALUATORS, and ESTATE AGENTS.
Head Offices, Stores and Salerooms, 30 QUEEN-ST., WOOLLAHRA. Telephone, 25 Edgecliff.
PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN to the SALE OF HOUSE and LANDED PROPERTIES, MANAGEMENT OF ESTATES, LETTING OF PROPERTIES, COLLECTION OF RENTS, INTEREST, &c. POWERS OF ATTORNEY ACCEPTED.

DWELLING, 5 or 6 rooms, furn. or partly furnished, near water. Terms Mr. Needs, 167 Liverpool-st.

EASTERN SUBURBS.—We have a CASH PURCHASER for Detached RESIDENCE, must have 50ft. frontage, up to £1000. Send full particulars,
STANTON and SON, 109 Pitt-street.

FOREST LODGE, Glebe.—HOUSE, 5 or more rooms, conveniences, rent moderate. G. B. D., Herald Office.

FURNISHED COTTAGE required, Woollahra, Waverley, Randwick. State particulars, H. H., Lindfield P.O.

FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS for investment on good Rent-producing City or Suburban Freeholds; principals only. S. H., c.o. H. Dawson, solicitor, 38 Elizabeth-street, city.

FURNISHED HOUSE wanted for 6 or 12 months, for adult family, no children, 8 to 10 rooms, must be thoroughly furnished, situated in or near city. Forward full particulars to IVAN HENRY, 134 Pitt-street.

HORNSBY LINE.—A COTTAGE required near stn. State size and rent, Vindex, Box 494, G.P.O.

HUGHES and RAMSAY (late R. Collin), Established 1882.
HOUSE, LAND, and ESTATE AGENTS.
Rents Collected, Estates Managed, Loans Negotiated.
At Railway Station, Summer Hill. Telephone, 38 Ashfield.
Office CLOSED at 1 o'clock on SATURDAYS.

HOUSES LET FREE OF CHARGE.

We beg to notify Property-owners that when we collect their Rents we render prompt statements, and attend to all worrying details.
Should a house fall empty, we secure a new tenant, generally beforehand.
Our regular system prevents arrears.
OUR ONLY CHARGE IS 5 PER CENT. ON THE RENTS AS COLLECTED.
MARSHALL AND DEMPSTER, Property Agents and Sworn Valuators, Telephone, 1224. Pitt-street, opp. G.P.O.

I HAVE buyers for 5 or 6 roomed Houses at Mosman. W. T. Gibb, 78 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

INVESTMENT WANTED.—SUBURBAN TERRACE PROPERTY, up to £12,000, showing 9 per cent. gross return.
STANTON and SON, Yaralla-chambers, 109 Pitt-street.

LEASE or Purchase, 3 or 4 roomed COTTAGES, Leichhardt, near Norton-street; Waverley, near Cowper-street, cart entrance, rent 10s.
S. F. E., Herald.

MERCHANTS AND WAREHOUSEMEN. WE HAVE a CLIENT who is prepared to BUY CITY or SUBURBAN PROPERTY and BUILD as an INVESTMENT either SHOPS, STORES, or FACTORIES to suit applicants.
SIDNEY RAPER and CO., 82A Pitt-street.

NORTH SYDNEY, NEUTRAL, or MOSMAN.—Wanted, for first-class tenant, Detached RESIDENCE, 7-8 rooms and offices, with grounds, situate near tram. G. G. M. PAIN, 5 P.O.-chambers, 114A Pitt-street.

NORTH SHORE RAILWAY LINE.—We have cash Buyer for large Blocks LAND; should be elevated and convenient to a station. Also Purchasers and Tenants for Cottages. Full particulars to
CHAPMAN and HAZLEWOOD, 127 King-street.

N. SHORE LINE, nr. Lindfield Preferred. Early in March. Brick COTTAGE, 6 good rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and all conveniences, stabling, and not less than 1 acre ground, 1 or 2 miles from station not objected to, rent moderate.
HOLDSWORTH, P.O., Hurstville.

PURCHASE COTTAGE, 4 rooms, kit., &c., at once, cash price £350 to £400. H. R., Petersham P.O.

PRIVATE RESIDENCE, close to city, must have large open balcony or flat roof, exposed to sun all day; rent from 20s to 30s. Apply
Sunshine, 158 The Strand.

RESIDENCE WANTED ON LEASE.
Required by first-class tenant, without family, a VILLA or COTTAGE RESIDENCE and GROUNDS, at Darling Point, Woollahra, or any pleasant situation in the eastern suburbs. Rent about £150 p.a.
PIERCY ETHELL and CO., 3 Moore-street.

Police Department, Inspector-General's Office, Sydney, 30th January, 1902.

SITE FOR POLICE STATION AT SOUTH WATERLOO.

Offers will be received at this Office up to the 28th February proximo for the SALE of a Block of LAND, about 80 x 100 feet, on the Botany-road, South Waterloo, suitable for the erection of a Police Station.
EDMUND FOSBERY,
1r-3 Inspector-General of Police.

WANTED Rent, Grocery General Store, good sub., or Buy Business. Business, Box 241, G.P.O., Sydney.

WANTED to Buy, Mod. Det. Bk. COTTAGE, 4 rms., good sub., for cash. H. Smith, Sans Souci.

WANTED Purchase, COTTAGE, cash, 5 rooms, land, nr. Sydn., Torrens. Partics., M. S., c.o. 144 Wm.-st.

WANTED, for month of March, furnished COTTAGE, mountains. Full details to Boz, Herald.

WANTED to Purchase, small Business to suit a lady, about £10 or £12, stand test. M. A., P.O., Redf.

WANTED to Lease, small Cottage, plenty land, conv. city. Full particulars, R. F. Z., Herald, King-st.

WANTED, Block of Land, or Cott. with block land, Waterloo or Alexandria. T. K. Lee, Redfern P.O.

WANTED, small HOUSE, 2 or 3 rooms, in or near William-st. M. S., c.o. Castlereagh-st. P.O.

WANTED, well furn. 4-rmd. Cottage, bet. Lewisham and Strathfield, state rent. B., Ashfield P.O.

WANTED to Buy, HOUSES, Drummoyne, North Sh., Chatsworth, Pad., Stanmore. 30 P.O.-cham., Pitt-st.

WANTED, cosy Cottage with some ground, harbour pref., about 10s weekly. Address Qui Vive, Herald.

WANTED, HOUSE, 4 rms., kit., near Dawes Point. Apply W. L., Globe Cafe, 274 George-st. North.

WANTED, large COTTAGE or VILLA, with water frontage, Glebe Point pref. M.L.C., Herald Office.

WANTED, furn. Cottage, 3 bedrooms, betw. Springwood and Katoomba. State terms, Mac, Herald.

WANTED purchase, for cash, immediately, small Cottage, Carlton or Bexley. Trustees, Herald, King-st.

WANTED, Building ALLOTMENT, North Sydney, suitable for cottages. C. M. D., Herald.

WANTED, N. Sydney, COTTAGE, 3 rms., kit., bath, tubs, open 1 month. State rent, A. M. P., Herald.

WANTED, Rent 4-roomed Cottage, within 8 miles Sydney, must be moderate. Jason, Herald.

WANTED, small General STORE, suburbs. Store, Herald, Hunter-st., Sydney.

WANTED, HOUSE or Cottage, 4 rooms, all conv., must be vicinity D'hurst or cable tr. O. O., Herald.

WANTED Rent, opt. Purchase, House or Cott., 5 or 6 rms., land adjg. 100 x 100. M. D., P.O., Redfern.

WANTED, small HOUSE, half-acre land, near town. State terms and where, A. B. C., Herald, King-st.

WANTED, Cottage, Randwick, Coogee, about 5 rms., rent not exc. 17s 6d per wk. O. S., P.O., Oxford-st.

WANTED, small Furnished COTTAGE, for term. Shamrock, P.O., William-st.

WANTED, 5-roomed HOUSE or Cottage, Eveleigh, terms cash. Home, Redfern Post-office. No agents.

WANTED, small Property, to £300; Exchange House, let at 17s 6d wk. P. Hunt and Co., 41 Elizabeth-st.

WANTED, furnished House or Cottage, rent not to exceed 30s. W. H., 45 Old Parramatta-rd., F. Lodge.

WANTED, by careful tenant, small furnished Cottage, resp. locality, rent abt. 10s. Honesty, Newtown P.O.

WANTED, 3 to 5 Acres, with dwelling, Drummoyne to Ryde, terms. J. H. R., Forbes and Wilson sts., Rfn.

WANTED to Lease, Cottage, &c., 2 or 3 ac., small pol. farm, 1. lease, nr. rlwy. 152 Edgeware-rd., Enmore.

WANTED, FURNISHED COTTAGE, MOSMAN, for 6 or 12 months, good tenant, no children.
P. LEAHY, MOSMAN.
Telephone, 82 Mosman.

WANTED to Rent, Furnished HOUSE or COTTAGE, about £2 per week, handy to ocean beach. Particulars Box 1600, G.P.O.

WANTED to Buy, Equity of Redemption of or COTTAGE on extended payments, about 5 rooms. River suburbs preferred.
L. A. C., Herald Office.

WANTED to BUY, DET. COTTAGE Residence, 8 rooms, &c., HEIGHTS of STRATHFIELD or BURWOOD.
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TO LET, Furnished, from April 21, Judge Murray's Residence, Drumcloin, Mittagong, 11 rooms, exclusive of kitchen, laundry, pantries, &c.; Four-room Cottage, good stabling, &c., 26 acres land, copious water supply, beautiful position. Apply
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TO be LET, at Harbour-street, Darling Harbour, a STORES, containing 3 floors; motive power for driving machinery may be had from Messrs. J. and J. Waugh, Goulburn-street, where key may be obtained for inspection.
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TO LET, Parramatta-road, Petersham, central position, BUILDING, now occupied as place of worship, size 25 x 40, lofty and well ventilated, with porch, vestries, &c., suitable church, school, store, or manufacturing purposes, available from 10th Feb., low rent. Full particulars, J. STIMSON and SONS, 45 Glebe-road. Tel. 54 G.

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Full particulars and cards to view from
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TO LEASE,
for a term of 40 years, with a moderate building covenant, a BLOCK of LAND in the best part of Liverpool-street, having a frontage thereto of 46ft. by a depth of about 143ft.
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TO LET, Unfurnished, RODLEY, the residence of D. Woodriff. The house contains 6 large rooms, ball room, 3 pantries, servant's room, man's room, 2 kitchens, laundry, dairy, stabling and buggy-house, hay shed, cow shed, and cattle sheds; there is a never-failing supply of good water, and the electric light is laid on throughout the house. There are 19 acres of land, securely fenced and subdivided as follows: 5 acres cultivation, 2 acres orchard, 1 acre shrubbery, and the balance into 4 small paddocks.
Five minutes from railway station.
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WATER FRONTAGE, Lane Cove River.—Nice HOUSE, 6 rooms, kitchen, laundry, bath, offices, gas and water, sea bath, 20 minutes from city, £65 p.a.
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YARALLA-CHAMBERS, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY, adjoining the new Stock Exchange.
OFFICES to be LET at the following rentals:—
Ground Floor, £78 per annum.
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Second Floor, £52 per annum.
Also, the front portion of the Chambers, which will be subdivided to suit tenants:—
First Floor, £300 per annum.
Second Floor, £250 per annum.
Apply PERPETUAL TRUSTEE CO., Ltd., 2 Spring-street.

MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For Sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Friday Evening.

In investment stocks in the Stock and Share market a rather better business has been done during the past few days. The distribution of dividends would naturally throw on the market rather more capital than is ordinarily held for investments in the classes in our list, and for the time tends to give the firmness which is apparent in the case of many of the leading stocks. Otherwise no special cause is apparent for the improvement noticeable. It does not in any case yet amount to very much. For the time, however, there have been more buyers than sellers, and the effect of this particular condition has been the counteraction of any downward tendency that may have been apparent as the result of the absorption of previous supplies of colonial capital in these stocks. The outstanding fact, however, is that there is no increase in the number of stocks or of capital in this list corresponding with that of the accumulated funds that in ordinary circumstances would be invested in this way—a condition of things that of itself would have an elevating effect on the stock list—that in fact has contributed to the elevation of prices during the last few years. And until this expansion occurs, or capital is drawn off in other directions and its volume lessened, quotations are not likely to be reduced. The latter rather than the former consideration seems the one most likely to operate in the future. But for the present at any rate there is sufficient unused capital for all requirements to prevent any decline in prices, or even weakening of the market. To-day's transactions were rather fewer in number than in earlier days in the week, and the movements but slight, what there were being upward. All Government securities continued as before. Union Bank of Australia again sold at 40¼, other banks steady. For Australian Joint Stock "A" deposits 13s 3d was offered, "B" being in request at 13s. Queensland National and English, Scottish, and Australian were each rather higher. Steam, insurance, and gaslight remained as last quoted. Marshall's Brewery were offered at 4s, and Albury at 5s; Permanent Trustee advanced 1d, and Silverton Tram 3s; Colonial Sugar also improving a trifle.

On the Sydney Stock Exchange the following sales were reported to-day:—Forenoon: Union Bank of Australia, 40¼; Intercolonial I. L. and Building, 16s; Charters Towers Gas, 14s 9d; Colonial Sugar, 38½. Noon: Colonial Sugar, 38¼; Richardson and Wrench, 13s. Afternoon: Nil. Later: Permanent Trustee, 2s. The closing quotations were:—

Company.	Capital paid up.	Amount of Shares.	Shares paid up.	Las. Div. per annum.	Last Sale.	Buyer.	Seller.	Yield to Investor.
F. STOCKS.	£	£	£	p.c.				p.c.
N.S.W. F. S., 1902	549,350			4	100½	100	..	3¾
Do. Act, 1873	550,180			4	104½	105	..	3¾
Ditto 3 p.c.				3	94			
Do., 1924-25				3	..			
Do. T. Bills	1,000,000			3½	100	99½	..	3½
Do. Deb. 1902	399,300			5	100½	100		
Do. Deb. 1901					100			
Q. D., 1913				4	108			3½
Ditto 3½ p.c.							99½	
N.Z. D., 1917	300,000			4	107½			
Ditto, 1914					102			3½
Col. Sugar D., 1914				5	111	107		
City of Sydney 4 p.c., 1926					102½	103		3¾
BANKS.								
Aust. J. S.	1,168,041	10	7½				1	
Australasia	1,600,000	40	40	10		80		
City	240,000	10	8	4	94	93	94	6¾
New Issue	160,000	10	8	4	93		93	7
Commercial of Australia fully paid	1,192,440	6	6		13 11	4 6		
Ditto pref.	2,117,070	10	10	3	6			
Commerce of Sydney	1,000,000	25	12	10	31½	31½	31¾	4
N. of Aus.	1,488,220	8	3½	3½	71	75		
Ditto pref.	363,780	10	10	4		11½		4½
N. S. Wales	2,000,000	20	20	10	45¼	45¼	45½	4½
New Zealand	300,000				57 6	50		
N. Q'sland	300,000	3	2	2¾	13		15	7½
Q'land Nat.	412,441							
Royal of Q.	360,650	1	5½		46 6	55		
Union	1,500,000	75	25	8	40½	40½		4
DEPOSITS.								
A.J.S. Bk.—Class A				3	13 3	13 3	13 4½	4
Class B				3	13	13	13 1½	4
Ditto Inc.	788,023			3	9 9		9 6	7
Com. of Aus. A cer. 1898	965,489			3½	19 3	18		
Ditto assets	3,408,000			3	15 6	12	15 9	[illegible]
E.S.A. Ins.								
[illegible]	869,418			3	12 10	12 10½	12 9	[illegible]
Do. def.	663,203			4	17 1½	16 1½	17 6	[illegible]
Ditto Deb.	989,342			4	17 9	17 9	18	[illegible]
Ditto Fer.	198,307			4	20 3	19 9		
Q. National				3½	12 6	10 9	11 6	5½
STEAM.								
Balmain N. Ferry	16,420	1	1	10	36 6	35	40	5½
Illawarra	58,090	5	3½	8½	5¾		5¾	[illegible]
Newcastle	75,000	1	1	10	18	17 9	18	[illegible]
North Coast	131,250	2	1	6	23 6	23 6		
Syd. Ferries	120,000	1	1	[illegible]	36	35	36	[illegible]
P. Jackson	25,000	1	1	[illegible]	25 9	25 0	26 0	
Ditto, Coupon	8,761	[illegible]	[illegible]	12	17			
Rov. South ordinary							21	
Ditto Pref.							22	
Ditto Prod.							5	
INSURANCE.								
A. M. Fire	[illegible]	1	1	10	16½		34	38	5
Mer. Mut.	30,000	1	1	10	12	12	11 9	12 6	5¾
New Zealand	200,000	10	1	[illegible]				
N. Q'land	50,000	1	1	[illegible]				
Ditto	[illegible]							
United	62,500	10	2½	10	74 6		75 6	[illegible]
Ditto new	5,750	20	12 6	10	15 6		17 6	[illegible]
GAS.								
Albury	7,500	1	12 6	10	18		15	
Australian	661,780	6	[illegible]	9	11½	11½	11¾	5½
New Issue	[illegible]				18½	15½	16	
C. Towers	30,000	10	10	1	14 9			
Goulburn	30,000	1	1	7	48		45	[illegible]
Grafton	15,000	1	1	5	24		26	[illegible]
Manly	10,000	1	1	8	22 6			[illegible]
Ditto new	5,000	1	10	7	12 6			[illegible]
Mudgee	8,000	1	1	7	17		17	
Newcastle	25,120	2	2	15	4½		4½	[illegible]
Ditto					14 6		17 6	[illegible]
North Sh.	150,000	1	1	7	30 6		31 6	[illegible]
Ditto New		1	3	7	16 3		12	[illegible]
Maitland Gas	15,000	10	5				6	[illegible]
BREWERIES.								
Albury	10,500	10		5			5	
Ditto	4,000	1	1					
Australian	[illegible]	10		4 2				
C. and Wood Bros.	250,000	1	1	4	9 4½	9 3	9 9	8½
Marshall's	[illegible]	5		4	4	3 10	4	[illegible]
Perkins'	36,000	10	10	17½	37			[illegible]
Tooth's	[illegible]	1	1	20	29	29	29 3	5
MISCELLANEOUS.								
Aarons	17,500	15	10	5	3 7	3 4	3 6	
Aus. News	10,000	1	1	15	15			6¾
B. H. Water Supply	156,500	1	1	10				
Bros., Holt	75,000	1	1	8	34	32		4¾
Nes Issue		1	5	8	6	4		[illegible]
Col. Sugar	1,875,000	20	20	10	38½	38½		[illegible]
Empire & Co.	[illegible]	20	5	6	5¾			[illegible]
Em. B. Bud.	100,000	1	1		3 6			
Em. Gravel	36,000	1	1	5	11 9	11	15 6	
Malt Co., cert.					13		14	
Mel. Trams	80,000	1	1	10	21 6			
M. de Piete	78,144	1	1	7½	20	20		6½
Mort's Dock	150,000	1	1	5	17			
Ditto Pref.	45,200	1	1	6	22	21	22 6	5½
F. Food, Ice	165,114	1	18s		6 9	6 9		
Shale and Oil	75,000	1	15s		4		4 3	
New York and B. Tob.	15,000	1	1	10	21	21 9	21 6	9½
Perm. Trust	25,000	5	2 6	6	2	1 11		6½
Perp. Trus.	37,500	10	5	6	9 3	9 3		6½
Richardson & Wrench	60,000	1	1	5	13	12 9	13 6	7½
Sil. Tram.	27,900	1	1	30	49 6	70 6	75	8
Syd. Exc.	20,000	10	10	7		14½		4½
Syd. Hyd.	75,000	1	1	10	43 6		40 6	4¾
Ditto	37,500	1	10	10	24	20 6	21 6	4¾
Vol. Land Order				160			165	
LAND & BD.								
A. Mut. Dep.					4d			
Banks, Dep.					7 3			
Fed. B. Dep.					14			
Harmark. Tr.		15	3		12 6			
Ditto Shares							12	
Ind. Pros.	60,065	20	20	6			20	
Intercol. Inv.	33,938	1	15	7	16	15 6	16 6	6½
Py. Fre. Land					3 9			
Syd. & S. Dep.					8			
New'stle Bd.					15			

* Where dividends are interim the yield is based on a year's distribution; otherwise on the last half-yearly one.
* Cum rights.

The Australian Mutual Provident Society advertises its intention to issue a new form of policy for the benefit of children, consisting of a combined endowment and contingent annuity. Hitherto endowment policies have been issued on the lives of children providing for the payment of a given sum on the attainment of the age of 21 years. Now it is proposed that in the event of the death of the parent, the payment of the annual premiums shall cease, and an annuity be given towards the cost of maintaining and educating the child until the age of 21 years, the amount of the endowment being then payable to the child. This is a form of policy that will probably appeal to parents.

The half-yearly meeting of the North Shore Gas Company was held to-day, Mr. W. A. Dixon in the chair. The report, of which we have already given the principal features, was adopted. Mr. W. C. Watt was re-elected a director, and a vote of thanks was passed to the directors and officers.

After remaining for a fortnight at 3½ per cent., to which it was reduced from 3 per cent. on the 23rd instant, the Bank of England minimum discount rate is now down to 3 per cent. For several weeks the reserve rapidly increased, until last week it was five and half millions in excess of the amount on January 2, and in the same time the total stock of coin and bullion was swollen by four millions. Rather singularly the rate was not then reduced, but now, after a reduction of £374,000 in the reserve and one of £248,000 in the stock of coin and bullion. Presumably there are conditions in the market not foreseen a week back to induce the directors to make the reduction in the rate now disclosed. This case was anticipated according to our latest advices partly as the result of the negotiation of the French loan which left the market free of any anticipated large demands. The stagnation in France afforded no outlet for the large reserves held there, and it was believed that the large stock of gold held would to some extent be utilised in London. The "Statist" of December 28 remarks on this subject:—"Now that the French loan issue is completed money will become more and more plentiful in Paris, and the difficulty of investing it profitably will be felt increasingly. Therefore the general opinion is that the balances employed in London by the French banks will be considerably increased. They may not for a week or two yet: but very soon they will be." The public revenue is coming very freely into the bank as usual in the beginning of the year, since notwithstanding the continued heavy war expenditure, an addition of £1,674,000 for the week appears in the amount of the Government deposits. Otherwise the bank return presents no very striking feature.

It appears, however, that under the influence of cheaper money, Consols have not further improved, in fact ⅛ of last week's advance of ⅝ having been lost. At 94½ they are still higher than they were a month back. New South Wales 3 per cents., however, have further risen ½ to 96½; but this State's 4 per cents. have dropped ⅞ to 116. The quotations for stocks of other States cabled this week are unchanged.

Our commercial cables indicate a tolerably general improvement in the prices of Australian products. The strength of the wool market reported in recent messages has developed into an advance of ½d per lb. in Bradford tops. Butter has risen 4s per cwt. on the week. Medium mutton tallow remains as last quoted, but the best quality is down 1s per cwt. and beef tallow is also 6d lower. The prices still current, however, are comparatively high. Copper, after fluctuating for several days, is now 2s 6d to 5s per ton above the prices current a week back. Spot tin is quoted £5 per ton and the three months' quotation £2 10s per ton higher. Lead at £11 1s 3d per ton is 3s 9d above last week's price, and higher than it has been for the last nine weeks, having recovered 17s 6d per ton from the lowest point touched.

It is announced in our advertisement columns that the Federal Val de Travers Asphalt Company has acquired the asphalt business lately carried on by Mason Brothers, Limited.

BREADSTUFFS.

Wheat ruled fairly firm at 3s 1d to 3s 1½d ex trucks Sydney. These prices prohibit a continuance of exportation, and no fresh engagements are being entered into. Unless shippers can continue to get rid of the State's surplus, congestion will later on follow, which will be to a holder's disadvantage. The position in Melbourne is an abnormal one, due to shippers being cornered. Flour is dull, prices being unaltered at £7 to £7 5s per ton.

The exports of wheat from the port of Sydney during the week ended February 4 totalled 98,076 bags, shipped as follows:—To Port Said (for orders), 48,480 bags; to Liverpool, 13,720 bags; to Gibraltar (for orders), 35,796 bags; to Brisbane, 50 bags; and to Melbourne, 30 bags. The exports of flour during the same period were as follows:—To Queensland, 1902 bags; to the Islands, 101 bags; to Canada, 1 bag; to New Caledonia, 985 bags; Tasmania, 11 bags; New Zealand, 100 bags; Western Australia, 5 bags; and Hongkong, 70 bags.

Up to date this year shipments have been:—

	Wheat. Bags.	Flour. Bags.
United Kingdom	243,456	2,789
For orders	84,276	—
South Africa	900	450
Queensland	90	11,286
New Caledonia	10	2,091
Islands	7	995
Hongkong	—	480
Japan	—	250
Java	—	200
Victoria	108	—
New Zealand	—	220
Tasmania	—	16
Totals	338,847	19,443

Writing on the subject of New Zealand prospects, Messrs. Kaye and Carter, under date Christchurch, January 29, state:—

We have had the spell of bright sunshine so necessary to ripen off the crops, and harvesting has commenced under favourable auspices. Very high winds On Thursday in last week gave the standing grain a severe "shaking," but fortunately the severity of the storm was not of very long continuance. The usual conflicting reports are to hand, but we gather that quality of the grain generally is good, but the yields below estimates.

Wheat.—Still the old cry of scarcity, and prices are slightly firmer. No new samples have been exhibited, in fact very little wheat is in stock, and the crop is by no means safe; hence merchants wisely refrain from contracting ahead till the position is more assured. Quotations:—Wheat, Tuscan, Pearl, and Hunter's, 3s; flour, £7 to £7 10s.

IMPORT MARKET.

A better demand was experienced, there being indications that stocks are being reduced. Prices were not materially changed. Cables advise a rise of 1 dollar in Oregon lumber.

Tea.—Forty chests of Indian teas moved off at 7¼d; 50 chests of Ceylon broken pekoe, 7d to 7½d; and 250 half-chests of Kooloos on private terms.

The following comparison of the stocks of tea in bond in Sydney may be made:—

	Jan. 3.	Jan. 31.	Feb. 7.
Chests	19,232	20,708	22,100
Half-chests	5,731	5,846	6,516
Boxes	1,613	1,720	1,647

Messrs. Cyril Trower and Co. will offer on Tuesday 403 packages of Indians and 348 packages of Ceylons, on account of Messrs. Gerber, Michaut, and Co.

Messrs. Fraser, Uther, and Co. will submit at the City Mart on Thursday catalogues comprising 361 packages of Indian teas on account of Messrs. Finlay, Henty, and Co., and 667 Ceylons and 300 Kooloos on account of Messrs. Scott, Henderson, and Co.

Messrs. H. W. Carey and Co. report:—"We offered at our saleroom to-day, under instructions from Messrs. Scott, Henderson and Co., 531 high-grade Ceylon teas and 150 packages Koo Loo, and on account of Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co. and other importers an assorted catalogue of 1147 packages Indian, Ceylon, and China teas. We cleared all but two lots of the former, but about 200 packages only of the latter, at prices in most instances showing heavy losses upon cost. The trade, however, again held aloof, which is scarcely surprising, considering the 'duty' question is still unsettled, and until it is the market must remain in the same demoralised state, now experienced for the past three months. Quotations were:—Ceylon pekoes and orange pekoes, 6½d to 8½d per lb.; broken pekoes, 7½d to 9½d per lb.; fine and finest broken orange pekoes, 10d to 1s 2½d per lb. Dooars and Assam pekoes, 7½d to 7¾d per lb.; broken pekoes, 7¾d per lb.; and fair Koo Loos, 5½d per lb. 'in bond.'"

Sugar.—A steady demand was experienced at late market rates.

The C.S.R. Company's quotations are as follows:—Tablets, £26 10s; icing or powdered sugar, £26 10s; caster sugar, £22 10s; brewers' crystals, £21 15s; IX or confectioners' crystals, £21; 1A, £21; No. 1 (1W or snowdrop), £20 15s; No. 2 (1C or No. 1 pieces), £20 10s; No. 3, £18 per ton.

The Millaquin and Yengarie Sugar Company quote:—Millaquin 1A £21, No. 1 £20 10s, and No. 2 £20 per ton.

The following are the bond returns of sugar:—

	Imported. Tons.	Duty Paid. Tons.	Exported. Tons.	In Bond. Tons.
January 3	984	783	497	34,736
January 10	1,514	824	562	34,935
January 17	3,271	1,294	375	35,787
January 24	1,376	1,350	584	35,250
January 31	372	895	402	34,264
February 7	291	1,078	454	32,952

The cabled London prices during the last four years at this date compare as follows:—

	German 88 per cent. Beet. Per cwt.	First Marks Granulated. Per cwt.
January, 1899	9s 5d	10s 10½d
January, 1900	9s 5¼d	11s 3¾d
January, 1901	9s 3¾d	11s 3d
January, 1902	6s 7¼d	8s 7½d

Groceries.—Fifty cases of Moir's fresh herrings sold at 6s 3d; 25 cases ditto kippers, 8s 3d; 25 cases in tomato, 8s; 20 barrels salt herrings, 25s; 50 cases of Morton's fresh herrings, 5s 3d; 50 boxes Moir's 2s assorted meats, 17s; 50 cases C. and B. vinegar, 7s 6d; 100 cases Morton's assorted pickles, 8s 6d; 100 cases Monarch salmon, 7s 6d; 100 cases ditto pickles, 4s 9d; 1000 cases Nestle's milk, 5s 9d; and 1000 cases Gold Medal milk, 6s; 25 cases Maconochie's fresh herrings went for export at 3s 9d.

Dried Fruits.—200 half-cases of currants sold at 4½d.

Eastern Produce.—Japan rice ruled firmer, stocks being gradually diminished. No rice has been duty-paid since October 8. Five tons of sago went at £16 5s. Seventeen tons of canary seed moved off at up to £14 10s.

Metals.—Fifty tons of fencing wire sold on private terms. Tinplates went at 16s 3d on spot, and 16s to land. In their annual report on the tinplate trade of 1901 Messrs. Stedman, Crowther, and Co. write:—"It is satisfactory to report that the tinplate trade, often subject to so many adverse influences, of which over-production has not been the least, enjoyed a year of great prosperity, although at one time the outlook was far from promising, the output having increased to 14,000,000 boxes per annum. Makers were handicapped by dear fuel, dear steel, dear tin, and demands for higher wages. The strike in America no doubt saved the situation, creating an enormous demand in July and August for prompt delivery, and enabled works to advance prices to 15s to 16s for IC—figures which left a very handsome profit. Although the quotation dwindled as the pressure for quick delivery slackened, manufacturers were fairly booked till the end of the year, and were helped by reductions in tinplate bars, also by a fall in the price of tin."

Jute Goods.—100 bales of cornsacks were placed on private terms. Further business was done in branbags at 3s 8d to 3s 8½d, and in woolpacks at 1s 8½d to 1s 9d.

The imports of jute goods into Australia from Calcutta during 1901 compare with those during 1900 as follows:—

	1900. Bales.	1901. Bales.
Woolpacks	23,545	24,584
Cornsacks	73,472	72,588
Branbags	8,680	15,277

The short shipment of woolpacks caused a very firm market towards the close of the season. Cornsacks slumped, owing partly to the collapse of the Calcutta "combine" and partly, and perhaps chiefly, to the deficient grain production in Victoria. The large increase in the shipments of branbags caused a sagging market for some months, but latterly some improvement has taken place.

Oils.—Kerosene continues to be sold at below the tariff prices. Shipments of castor oil from Calcutta to Sydney, and to Australian ports as a whole, during the past four years are officially returned as follows:—

	Sydney. Cases.	Australia. Cases.
1898	16,978	34,102
1899	12,274	24,390
1900	5,528	17,353
1901	15,190	31,650

The large increase in the shipments last year was partly due to pre-tariff preparations and partly to the fact that castor was relatively cheap compared with other oils used for lubricating purposes.

Chemicals.—120 tons of bicarbonate of soda were placed for forward delivery at market rates. Caustic soda went at £12 7s 6d to £12 10s. Six tons of soda ash moved off at £7 10s. Five tons of liquid silicate to arrive at £6 17s 6d. Fifty barrels of glucose at equal to £11 15s in bond, and small lots of G rosin at £5 5s to £5 10s.

Sundries.—Two tons of leather-brown paper sold at £22 per ton.

The Customs revenue received at Sydney amounted to £9141. The principal items were:—Spirits, £1924; ale, porter, and beer, £36; tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, £354; sugar and molasses, £244; tea, £44; opium, £261; dried and candied fruits, £29; advertising matter, £66; laths, £40; milk, £62; linseed oil, £27; soap, £13; spices, £36; timber, £122; harbour and light rates, £114; pilotage, £41; harbour dues, £13; excise on spirits, £36; excise on tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, £1201; excise on beer, £483; excise on sugar, £90; ad valorem rates, £3668. Total, £9141.

EXPORT MARKET.

The Tallow Market.—Messrs. Colchester and Woolner's annual report of the tallow market states:—The tallow market was influenced during the year by a deficiency not only of home supplies, but also of imports. At the same time a steady demand prevailed almost throughout, and in spite of the advance in prices. The result is apparent in the reduction of the stock almost to a minimum, for it now represents little more than the quantities in course of coming upon the market for sale, and those in course of going away. Also prices have advanced 20 per cent. There was not much speculative buying during the year, and importers did not to any important extent hold for prices much above current values, consequently the result of the weekly auctions was generally indicative of the position.

The Australian shipments of tallow for the period from January to November, 1901, totalled 38,894 tons, against 41,789 tons in 1900.

Wool Receipts.—At Darling Harbour to-day 657 bales of wool were manifested to arrive by rail, 38 were received coastwise, and 32 came forward by rail at Newcastle on Thursday last.

ENGLISH COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURNS.

The Bank of England reserve in notes and coin is £25,184,000, as against £25,558,000 last week and £21,514,000 last year. The proportion of reserve to liabilities is 48·76, as against 49·46 last week and 45·58 last year. The circulation is £28,960,000, as against £25,834,000 last week and £28,888,000 last year.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued	£51,891,000	Government securities	£11,015,100
		Other securities	6,750,900
		Gold and silver coin	34,125,000
	£51,891,000		£51,891,000

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' capital	£14,553,000	Government securities	£17,274,000
Public deposits	12,338,000	Other securities	27,296,000
Other deposits	39,061,000	Notes	22,931,000
Rest, seven-day and other bills	3,808,000	Gold and silver coin	2,253,000
	£69,754,000		£69,754,000

MONEY MARKET.

The Bank of England rate of discount is quoted at 3 per cent. against 3½ per cent. on February 5. The market rate of discount for three months' bills is ⅛ lower at 2 11-16 per cent.

CONSOLS AND AUSTRALIAN STOCKS.

Current quotations for Consols and Australian Government stocks, compared with those of last week and the corresponding week of last year, are as follow:—

	Feb. 8, 1901.	Jan. 31, 1902.	Feb. 7, 1902.	Rise, or Fall.
2¾ per cent. Consols	96⅝	94⅝	94½	⅛ fall
N.S.W. 4's, 1933, Jan.-July	114	116⅞	116	⅞ fall
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1918, March-Sept	102*	105	105	unch
N.S.W. 3's, 1935, April-Oct.	100	96	96½	½ rise
Vict. 4's, 1920, Jan.-July	109	111½	111	unch
Vict. 3½'s, 1921-26, Jan.-July	102	104½	104½	unch
S. Aust. 3's, 1916, Jan.-July	93	94	94	unch
S. Aust. 3½'s, 1939, June-Dec.	105	104	104	unch
Q'land 4's, 1915-24, Jan.-July	107	108	108	unch
Q'land 3½'s, 1924-30, Jan.-July	102	104	104	unch
N. Zealand 4's, 1929, May-Nov.	113	112	112	unch
N. Zealand 3½'s, 1940, Jan.-July	105½	105	105	unch
N. Zealand 3's, 1945, April-Oct.	95	95	95	unch
Tasmania 3½'s, 1920-40, Jan.-July	102	104	104	unch
W.A. 3½'s, May-Nov., 1915-35	101	102½	102½	unch

* Ex interest.

BRADFORD TOPS.

The Bradford market is firm. Common 60's are ½d higher at 19½d, and super 60's ½d higher at 21½d.

METALS.

Copper is firm. On spot is quoted ⅛ higher on the week at 54⅝; three months is quoted ⅛ higher on the week at 54⅞.

Tin on spot is quoted 5 higher on the week at 112; three months is quoted 2½ higher on the week at 106¼.

Pig iron is quoted 1½ lower on the week at 49s 7½d.

Soft lead is quoted 3-16 higher on the week at 11 1-16.

Spelter is quoted ⅛ higher on the week at 17 11-16.

SUGAR.

The sugar market is steady. German 88 per cent. is 1½ lower at 6s 7½d, and first marks granulated f.o.b. Hamburg is quoted unchanged at 8s 7½d per cwt.

CHEESE.

Cheese is quiet, New Zealand selling at 49s to 50s per cwt.

WHEAT.

The wheat markets are inactive, the Continental markets being steady, while the American are weak. Cargoes are quiet. Victorian for January shipment selling at 29s 9d, and South Australian and New South Wales for January-February shipment being offered at 29s 3d per 480lb. c.i.f.

BUTTER.

The butter market is improving. Choicest colonial is in quiet demand at 108s to 110s, a rise of 4s per cwt. There is a brisk trade in secondaries at 98s to 102s. Danish is 5s higher at 112s to 114s per cwt.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

The wheat market continues very firm at current prices. Holders are very indisposed to come to terms, and the quantity of grain changing hands is not sufficient to meet requirements, and advanced rates will have to be given if larger quantities are to be obtained. So far no alteration has been made in quotations, which stand at 2s 10d to 2s 11d. Not a great deal is doing in flour. The price is unaltered at £7 5s. A fair business is reported in bran and pollard, which are both quoted at 11d.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Heavy produce was fairly well forward in the markets to-day. Quotations—Chaff, lucerne, 2s 11d to 4s 6d; oaten, medium 2s 10d to 3s, mixed 2s 6d to 3s 11d; hay, lucerne, 2s 2d to 3s 5d; maize, 2s 6d to 3s 1d; wheaten hay chaff, 3s; potatoes, 3s 11d to 5s 5d; butter, 10d to 1s; cheese, 6d to 6¼d; eggs, 8½d to 8¾d.

On the Stock Exchange to-day Queensland National Bank Inscribed Stock was quoted, buyers 10s 10d.

LAUNCESTON, Friday.

The Launceston Gas Company has a credit balance for the half-year of £5305 3s 3d, out of which a dividend of 4s per share has been declared.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

On the Stock Exchange to-day Victoria 3 per cent. stock sold at £99 10s; Metropolitan Board of Works 3½ per cent., £99 5s; Collingwood 5 per cent. Debentures, £109; Colonial Bank, preference, sold at £9 6s; Commercial Bank, ordinary, 5s, 5s 6d, and preference £5 2s, £5 1s; National, ordinary, 71s; Royal Bank, 16s, 16s 6d; Victoria, ordinary, 60s; London Bank Deposit Receipts, 20s 2d; Melbourne Tram, 19s, 19s 2d; Silverton Tram, 70s, 70s 6d, 69s; B.H. Water Supply, 20s 4d; Northcote Brick, 14s; Hetton Colliery, 52s; Outtrim Howitt Coal, 9s, 8s 11d.

Wheat is in strong demand and firmer. About 11,000 bags sold at 3s 5d. There is further inquiry, and a large parcel would probably fetch an advance. Flour is nominal at £7 15s to £8; bran sold at 10½d for export, 10½d locally; pollard is 10½d to 11d; barley is firm up to 4s 7d; Cape barley is 2s 7½d to 2s 10d; Algerian oats are active and firm, seed 2s 7d to 2s 8d, milling 2s 6d to 2s 7d, feed 2s 4½d to 2s 6d; maize, 3s 3d; prime chaff, £3 5s to £3 7s 6d; ordinary samples, £3 to £3 2s 6d; Gippsland and Colac potatoes are up to £3 10s; Warrnambool, £3; onions, £2 15s to £3 5s. A fair business was done in Queensland white sugar.

At the tea auction there was hardly any demand for Indians; 1449 packages were offered, and 35 chests of pekoe souchong were sold at 5½d to 7½d. The demand for Ceylon was quiet in sympathy, but out of 1306 packages actually offered 464 packages were sold at 5½d to 1s, in addition 301 packages had been sold before hand. A small lot of choice Ceylon realised 2s 6d. 1123 half-chests of China tea were offered, and 35 half-chests were sold at 9½d, duty paid. Private business covers 200 packages of Indian at 6½d to 6¾d. Currants are 4½d; sultanas, 7½d to 8½d; dates, 4½d to 5d. Mildura apricots are being shipped rather freely to London and the Cape. Ling is selling at 4½d; salt salmon, 4½d. Tinned salmon is selling freely. Canary seed is £13 to £14. 250 bales of cornsacks sold for export at 4s 2d; branbags are quiet at 3s 6½d to 3s 7d. A fair business was done in Gourepore linseed oil. Factory butter is 10½d; choice, 11½d; choicest western, 1s. Eggs, 9½d to 9¾d.

PRODUCE INWARD.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The Undaunted sailed to-day for Sydney with 150 bags malt, 130 boxes candles, 536 bags maize, 2000 sacks and 250 bags flour, 256 bags onions.

PRODUCE MARKETS.—Friday.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

A good deal of business was transacted in most departments of general produce. Potatoes, bran, and pollard were exceptionally scarce, supplies of other lines being ample for requirements. Apart from a rise in eggs, local chaff, and new maize no changes of importance in prices occurred. The demand for maize was good at 3s 3d to 3s 5d for best old river, choice inland going at 3s 6d. New grain was quoted at the last-named figure. Oats sold moderately well, as did other grain lines, at quotations. The market was practically bare of mill offal, which was nominally worth 10d. Pollard was sold to arrive at the price quoted above. Owing to the small supplies received by rail during the last couple of days the market for chaff had a buoyant tone, sales being easily effected at further improved prices for all qualities. Extra choice green samples made a trifle over £4 10s per ton. Lucerne hay had quiet sale, as did straw and oaten hay, at late values. Owing to temporary scarcity, the few local potatoes forward sold more readily at advanced rates. The market was bare of Circulars, pending the arrival of fresh supplies from Tasmania next week. The demand for onions was steady at the prices quoted. In dairy produce a fair turnover was noted in most lines. Eggs were dearer and in good request. Bacon continued scarce and dear. Cheese sold well, as did poultry. Butter was quiet, the demand being principally confined to choicest quality.

Wholesale quotations were:—

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Bacon and Hams.—Scarce and firm. Hand-cured, 8d; flitches, 7½d; middles, 8½d; farmers' hand-cured, choice, 6½d; Pineapple flitches, 7½d; middles, 8½d; York Castle mild-cured brand, sides 8½d; Bodalla sides, 7½d; Hams, 10½d; Eclipse sides, 7½d; Clarence sides, 8d. Hams: Local hams, choice, in cloth, 9½d; New Zealand, 9½d to 10d; Pineapple, 10½d; York Castle, 10½d; Eclipse, 10½d per lb.

Eggs.—Northern eggs, 11d to 1s; South, 1s 1d to 1s 2d; suburban new-laid hen eggs, good sale, 1s 4d to 1s 6d; and duck eggs, 1s 3½d to 1s 5d per dozen.

Butter.—Market quiet. Choice quoted at 11d, second quality quoted at 10d to 10½d, pastry 9d to 9½d; pasteurised 11½d per lb.

Cheese.—Prime loaf, 6½d to 6¾d; medium quality to 6d; large choice, 6d to 6½d; medium quality, 5½d; soft new, 4d to 5d; Kameruka, 7d; Bodalla, 7d per lb.

Poultry.—Steady sale. Fair supplies. River poultry, fowls, hens, prime 3s 3d to 3s 6d, medium 3s, very young sorts 1s 9d to 2s 6d; choice roosters, 3s 6d to 4s; young roosters, locally reared, 3s 6d to 4s 6d; hens, 3s 6d to 3s 9d; English river ducks, 2s 3d to 2s 9d, choice 3s to 3s 3d, locally reared, old 3s to 3s 3d, young 3s 6d; Muscovy ducks, river, 3s 6d to 4s; locally reared ducks, 3s to 4s; drakes, 4s to 5s; geese, 4s 6d to 5s; turkeys, gobblers 10s, good 12s to 13s, prime to 16s; hens, 6s to 7s per pair.

FEED GRAIN MARKET.

Oats.—Local Algerian, 2s 6d to 2s 9d; prime white, 3s to 3s 2d; Tasmanian, prime, 3s 3d to 3s 4d; Victorian short feed, 3s 3d; prime New Zealand quoted at 3s 6d per bushel.

Maize.—Market firmer. River grain: Prime 3s 5d, good 3s 4d, rough 3s 3d, new quoted 3s 6d, inland prime 3s 6d, Victorian 3s 3d to 3s 6d per bushel.

Peas.—Grey, 3s 9d to 4s per bushel.

Barley.—2s 11d to 3s 1d per bushel.

Chickwheat.—Prime, 2s 9½d to 2s 10d; medium, 2s 7d to 2s 8½d per bushel.

FORAGE MARKET.

Chaff.—Ready sale. Local, prime, £4 2s 6d to £4 5s; extra green, to £4 12s 6d; medium, to £3 17s 6d; rough, to £3 10s; Adelaide, prime £4, medium £3 15s per ton.

Lucerne.—Wharf, prime £3 5s to £3 10s, medium to £3 2s 6d; railway prime in small bales £3 10s to £3 15s, extra choice £4, large bales medium £2 15s to £3; prime to £3 7s 6d per ton.

Hay.—Local oaten in bundles: Prime, £4 to £4 5s; good, to £3 15s; medium, to £3; rough, to £2 15s per ton.

Straw.—Local, bundled, to £2 2s 6d; derrick-pressed, £2 5s to £2 7s 6d per ton. Imported, to £2 5s per ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Lard.—Bladders, 5½d to 6½d, bulk 5½d to 5½d per lb.

Onions.—Prime Portarlington £4 5s, Globes £3 15s per ton.

Honey.—Candied at 1½d to 2d, clear 2d, choice 2½d to 2¾d per lb. for tins containing 60lb.

Beeswax.—1s to 1s 1d per lb.

POTATO MARKET.

Potatoes.—Tasmanian Circulars, market bare. Inland: Rough £2 10s, medium £3 5s to £4 5s per ton.

BRAN AND POLLARD.

Both bran and pollard were scarce, prices being nominal at 10d per bushel.

WOOD MARKET.

Fair supply. Good demand. Best footwood 12s 6d to 14s 6d, second quality 10s 6d to 11s 6d, rough 8s to 10s; billets 9s 6d to 10s 6d, second quality 8s to 9s, rough 8s 6d to 7s 6d; bakers', 9s to 10s 6d per ton.

REDFERN SALE.

At the Redfern railway terminus markets this morning a fair supply of produce, principally chaff, was offered for sale. There was a good attendance of buyers, who operated with a considerable amount of freedom in all lines. Owing to the smaller supplies to hand of late the market for chaff had a buoyant tone, the demand being exceptionally brisk for all qualities at further advanced rates. Special choice green samples made 4s 6d to 4s 7d, prime 4s 1d to 4s 3d, medium 3s 6d to 3s 11d, and rough 3s 6d to 3s 6d per cwt. Ordinary prime lucerne in large bales sold well at 3s 8d to 3s 9d, a possible sample in trusses going at 3s 4d per cwt. Inferior oaten hay moved off moderately well at 2s 7d to 3s per cwt. Choice straw in derrick bales found a purchaser at 2s 8d per cwt. Choice inland maize commanded ready sale at 3s 6d per bushel. Rye corn was in demand at 3s 3d per cwt. Chickwheat had good sale at 2s 10d per bushel for prime. Potatoes were a trifle dearer, good quality going at 4s 3d, and medium at 3s 3d per cwt. Watermelons fetched 3s 3d to 7s, and pumpkins 3s 5d per dozen respectively.

Appended are the proportions of the various descriptions of produce actually submitted at to-day's sale:—Chaff, 36 trucks; watermelons, 1; lucerne, 8; oaten hay, 2; straw, 1; maize, 3; barley, 1; rye corn, 1; wheat, 3; potatoes, 3; and watermelons, 1.

Among the consignees were:—Messrs. R. Little and Co., Dent and Perry, H. Prescott and Co., J. W. Gray and Co., Ellis and Co., Sheppard, Harvey, and Walker, Walker and Oxby, Farmers' Co-operative Co., Farmers and Settlers' Association, G. Wells and Matthews, F. Chapman, and H. M. Suttor and Co.

Supplies were disposed of as follow:—

Chaff.—From Gardiner, Mary Vale, (truck No. 777) and (10258) 3s 11d; Tower Estate, (2501) 4s 3d; Sheppard, Harvey, and Walker, Gundagai, (5030) 3s 4d, (2504) 4s; Inniskill, Kelso (5374) passed; Cutler and Gosnell, Bathurst, (8716) passed; Mount, Perth, (9398) passed; Drew, George's Plains, (4529) 3s 7d; Pyke Bros., Coolamon, (2540) 4s 7d; Powell, Wagga, (502) 4s 2d; Jamieson, Gundagai, (1895) passed; Graham, Wagga, (3870) 3s 10d; T. Mooney, Cranquinty, (7798) 3s 11d; Caldwell, Cranquinty, (5129) 4s 2d; Booth Bros., Bowen, (1382) 4s; Cummings, Wagga, (3155) 4s 1d, (7459) passed; Prescott, (6864) 3s 9d; McFarlane, [illegible] 3s 10d; R. Lemon, Gunmain, (3240) 3s 11d; E. J. Moore, (6046) 3s 9d; Wilkinson, Cootamundra, (7750) 4s; Raleigh, (627) 3s 10d; Kellett, (5930) 3s 9d; ex Cootamundra, (868) 3s 9d; J. Bridge and Co., Millthorpe, (1735) 3s 6d, (3115) passed; M. Saunders and Co., (868) passed; Bonnet and Co., (11350) 3s 10d; L. Heaton and Co., Orange, (7758) 4s, (3880) 4s 1d; D. Mitchell, (1862) 3s 6d; Dove, Bowmore, (441) 3s 6d; Buckeley, (3054) 3s 5d; G. W. Barlow, Minore, (7114) 3s 1od per cwt.

Lucerne.—From Colreavy, Mulgrave, (2961) 3s 4d; Linnane, Perth, (342) 3s 9d; Goodwin, Cooma, (4130) 3s 8d per cwt.

Oaten Hay.—From Wright, Goulburn, (2160) 2s 7d; Booth Bros., Bowen, (11776) 3s per cwt.

Straw.—Derrick-pressed.—From Pratley, Kelso, (2973) 2s 8d per cwt.

Maize.—From R. Little, Gundagai, (3791) 3s 6d; L. Mandleson, (8211) 3s 6d; E. G. Brate, 3s 6d per bushel.

Barley.—From Macpherson, Young, (758) passed.

Rye Corn.—From Horton, Perth, (7145) 3s 3d per cwt.

Wheat.—From Jeremy and Co., Wagga, (818) and (5562) passed; Wright, Yeoval Creek, (4470) 2s 10d per bushel.

Potatoes.—From Richmond, (8836) bags branded R. 3s 3d per cwt.; pumpkins 3s 5d per dozen; Mulgrave, (3080) 5 diamond and H 4s 3d; Windsor, (222) 7 No. 8 3s 3d per cwt.

Watermelons.—From Penrith, (11017) Curry, 3s 3d, (2501) 7s per dozen.

FRUIT MARKETS.

At the Bathurst-street markets this morning good supplies of nearly all varieties of seasonable fruits were under sale. Business was fairly good, the inquiry being exceptionally brisk in most lines of choice quality. Owing to the rather light supplies to hand grapes had ready sale at firmer rates. Peaches sold well at higher rates. The demand for apples continued brisk at firm prices. Watermelons were plentiful, sales being slow and prices cheaper on account of the cooler weather. Lemons advanced in price, the sale being firm up to 7s per gin-case. Tropical fruits remained without noticeable change. Pears sold well at slightly higher rates for imported varieties.

Current quotations were:—

Passionfruit.—Rough 1s to 2s 9d, medium 3s to 4s, good to 5s, prime 7s per gin-case, choice 3s 6d to 4s per half-case.

Oranges.—Windfalls 2s 6d to 3s 6d, rough-pulled 2s 6d to 3s 6d, medium to 5s, good 6s to 8s; prime 10s to 12s; choice seedlings to 12s per gin-case. Sicilian 13s to 14s per case of 150 oranges.

Pineapples.—Common, choice Brisbane, 4s 6d, others 3s to 4s, Queens 5s to 6s 6d per case.

Watermelons.—Hawkesbury River 2s 6d to 3s 6d, medium 4s to 5s, good to 6s, choice 7s, special lots to 9s per dozen.

Bananas.—2s to 3s per bunch, 8s to 10s per case.

Lemons.—Windfalls and large lemons to 2s 6d, medium to 4s, good 6s; choice 6s 6d to 7s per gin-case; Sicilian 8s 6d (150), and 18s per case of 300.

Tomatoes.—1s 3d to 1s 9d per quarter-case; 2s to 3s, good 3s 6d to 4s, choicest to 4s 6d per half-case.

Rockmelons.—4s 6d to 6s per gin-case.

Peaches.—Slipstones, 3s 6d to 6s; small clingstones, 2s to 3s, good 4s to 5s 6d, prime 6s to 8s per gin-case; slipstones, prime 6s to 7s, others from 4s to 5s; clingstones, choice 3s 6d to 4s per half-case.

Grapes.—Black Hamburg, 2s, good 2s 6d, choice 3s to 3s 6d, special lots 4s; white 1s 6d to 1s 9d, good 2s, choice 2s 6d to 3s per box. White Syrian, choice 6s to 7s per box. Muscatels, 4s to 7s per box.

Nectarines.—Scarce. Choicest 6s to 7s, good 5s per half-case.

Plums.—Local Japanese, 4s to 6s per case; choice 4s to 5s 6d per half-case; late Orleans and greengages 2s 3d to 2s 6d per quarter-case; Tasmanian, 1s 6d to 2s 6d; Victorian, choice 2s 6d, others 1s 6d to 2s per quarter-case, 3s to 4s per packer case; local, 2s 6d to 3s per packer case.

Apples.—Local: Trevetts, small 3s to 4s, good 6s to 8s, prime 10s, extra choice to 14s; Granny Smiths, 5s to 7s; other sorts, 2s to 5s; jam, 2s to 3s; cooking apples, choice 6s, others 4s to 5s per gin-case; Carpenters, 8s to 9s per packing-case; others, 7s to 8s 6d, prime 10s to 12s per gin-case; Tasmanian Alexanders, 9s; Alpheristones, 6s to 8s 6d per packer.

Pears.—Williams, choicest 4s 6d to 6s per half-case, small 2s 6d to 3s 6d, medium 4s to 5s, good 6s to 8s, choice 9s to 10s, other varieties 3s to 5s; China pears, 1s 6d to 3s 6d per gin-case; Victorian Williams 8s to 9s per packer.

Quinces.—2s to 2s 6d, good 3s to 3s 6d, choicest 4s to 4s 6d per gin-case.

CITY YARDS.

Pigs.—To-day's market was heavily supplied, especially for a Friday, 733 head being yarded. The bulk of the offerings consisted principally of good quality descriptions. Sales were well attended in all sections, the market throughout being an exceptionally good one from a senders' point of view. Back-fatters met with a strong demand, late high rates being still further improved upon. The inquiry for all sorts of baconers was particularly active, prices realised being the best obtained for the past 12 months. Prime handy-weight sorts made exceptionally high prices. Porkers sold freely for a Friday, values being equal to the best obtained on Tuesday last. Despite not many stores being forward the demand was slack, with prices inclined to be easier. Quotations:—Big heavy back-fatters, 53s to 65s, extra weighty to 70s; best pens of porkers to 33s, good 25s to 31s, and light from 21s; best pens of baconers to 36s 6d, good 47s to 52s, medium from 41s, and light from 36s; best pens of stores to 18s, good 12s to 14s, and small from 9s each.

Robert Little and Co.—Hay, Chaff, Produce Auction. Redfern, daily. Highest prices, immediate returns.—Advt.

DALGETY and COMPANY, Ltd., hold Auction Sales daily at Redfern Railway Station. All farm produce. Top prices, with quick returns.—Advt.

S. B. BOND, 86 Sussex-street, Auctioneer and General Produce Salesman. Auction Sales daily at Redfern.—Advt.

E. HALL and SON, Auctioneers and General Produce Merchants. Sales at Redfern daily. Highest prices.—Advt.

SHEPPARD, HARVEY, and WALKER, 153 Sussex-street. Sales Hay, Straw, Chaff, Redfern, daily.—Advt.

"York Castle brand of mild-cured Bacon. Cured by English experts. Flavour delicious." Denham Bros.—Advt.

"KAMERUKA" CHEDDAR CHEESE, made by experts, acknowledged to be superior to all other brands. DENHAM BROS., Sole Agents, 359, 361 Sussex-st.—Advt.

GEO. WELLS and MATTHEWS, Live Stock, Grains, Produce Salesmen. Sales Redf. daily. Prompt ret.—Advt.

Stewart, Porteous, and Co., 123 Sussex-st., Auctioneers and Prod. Salesmen. Auct. Sales daily at Redfern.—Advt.

The Farmers and Settlers' Co-op. Assn., 79 Q. Victoria Mkts. The farmers' own agency.—Advt.

WALKER and OXBY, 69 Sussex-street.—Grain, chaff Sales, Redfern daily, highest prices, prompt returns.—Advt.

F. W. GRAY and CO., 130 Sussex-street, AUCTIONEERS and PRODUCE SALESMEN.—Advt.

Storekeepers.—Apply for Price List, Groceries, Oilmen's Stores, Wines and Spirits. S. A. JOSEPH and RICKARD, Ltd., 20 O'Connell-street, Sydney.—Advt.

STOCK AND STATION PRODUCE.

The Australasian Mortgage and Agency Company, Limited, John Bridge and Co., Limited, Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, Hill, Clark, and Co., the Pastoral Finance Association, Limited, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Limited, report:—

Hides.—All good-conditioned New South Wales lots were sparingly competed for at about last week's rates, whilst Queensland consignments were entirely neglected, and scarcely any were sold at auction. Quotations are therefore nominal. Quotations:—Queensland Meatworks hides: Ticky, superior and good heavy, 56lb. and upwards (nominal), 5½d to 6d per lb.; medium, 46lb. to 52lb., 5¼d to 5½d; light, 36lb. to 44lb., 4½d to 5d. Queensland butchers' hides: Heavy, 60lb. and upwards, good condition 5¼d to 5½d, ordinary 4d to 4½; medium, 48lb. to 55lb., good condition 4½d to 4¾d, ordinary 4d to 4½d; light, 36lb. to 46lb., good condition 4½d to 4¾d, ordinary 3½d to 4½d. New South Wales butchers' hides: Extra heavy, 70lb. and upwards, 4½d to 5½d; heavy, 60lb. to 68lb., 4½d to 4½d; medium 48lb. to 56lb., 3½d to 4½d; light, 38lb. to 46lb., 3¼d to 4½d; inferior and faulty, 2d to 3½d; dry stations, 3½ to 5½d; yearlings, large 4s 6d to 7s 3d each, small 3s to 3s 9d; calfskins, 9d to 2s 9d; horsehides, 2s 6d to 9s 6d.

Sheepskins.—All good lines sold well at late rates, while faulty sorts were again irregular, rough crossbreds and crossbred lambs being weaker. Quotations: Merino, Three-quarter to full-wooled, light to 5½d, medium to 5½d, heavy to 5d; half-wooled, light to 5½d, medium to 5d, heavy to 4½d; short-wooled, light to 4½d, medium to 4d, heavy to 3½d; broken pieces to 3½d. Crossbreds: Three-quarter to full-wools, fine to 4½d, halfbred to 3½d, coarse to 3d. Pelts: Merino to 4½d, crossbred to 3d.

The Co-operative Wool and Produce Company, the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, and Messrs. G. H. Moxham and Co., also report holding sales.

HORSE MARKET.

Messrs. Inglis and Sons report:—We have no alteration to report in the horse market, excepting that African sorts are easier. Supplies have been fairly large, and those selling best are good young draughts and Indian descriptions. In addition to the usual offerings from town and suburbs, we sold through our bazaar consignments from the following country districts, viz.:—Ourimbah, Wollongong, Bega, Liverpool, Camden, Albion Park, and Penrith. Through the Campbelltown yards we sold draughts on account of the following, viz.:—C. M'Intyre, Reedy Creek; P. Tindale, Mudgee; E. Simmons, Wallerawang; Western Agents, Dubbo; G. A. Church, Narellan; P. Mooney, Taralga; T. and W. D. Moxham; Morgan and O'Grady, Muswellbrook; Hunter White, Mudgee; and M. O'Shannessy, Campbelltown. Quotations: Carriage pairs, best quality 80 guineas to 130 guineas, good 40 guineas to 60 guineas; high-class light horses, £20 to £30; good, £14 to £18; useful light horses, strong and thick set, £8 to £13; light buggy and saddle descriptions, £5 to £10; bus and cab horses, £6 to £12; extra heavy draughts, young and sound, best quality, £25 to £35; good, £20 to £24; aged heavy draughts, £12 to £18; medium draughts, young and sound, £16 to £23; aged ditto, £8 to £13; light draughts, £8 to £13; van and butchers' cart horses, £14 to £22; light weeds, £3 to £5; strong ponies, 13 to 14 hands, £9 to £14; small ponies, £5 to £8.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

TAMWORTH, Friday.

At the fortnightly sale of fat stock at the municipal saleyards yesterday there was a fair attendance of buyers, and competition for prime quality was keen. Best pens of bullocks made £9; cows, £6 16s; merino wethers, 9s 2d; ewes, 7s 2d.

FARM AND STATION PRODUCE.

ALBURY, Friday.

There was a fair attendance of metropolitan buyers at the monthly sale of station produce. The market was good. Merino skins showed a slight improvement on last sales. Crossbreds were firm at late rates. Tallow was in brisk demand at an advance of 15s to 20s. Furred skins were easier. Sheepskins: 8000 were catalogued. Full-woolled merino sold at 4¾d; crossbreds, 3¼d; merino pelts, well cured, 4¾d; medium, 3½d; crossbred pelts, 3½d. Hides: 300 were catalogued. Heavy weight sold to 3¼d; medium, 3½d; calf, 3½d. Tallow: Butchers' mixed in shipping condition sold to £25; casks from £22 to £24 10s; tins and oddments to £20 10s. Kangaroo skins: Light and fresh made 2s 8d; heavy, 1s 6d; wallaby, best, 1s 6d; medium, 1s 3d; rabbits, 6d; tips, 1s 6d; horsehair, 1s 1d; wax, 1s.

WOOL SALES.

ALBURY, Friday.

The monthly wool sale took place to-day. Only a few oddments, consisting of 50 bales and 200 sacks, were submitted. Merino fleece in small lots sold up to 7d for wethers and 6½d for ewes, and hoggets pieces made to 5d, bellies 3½d, locks 1½d, lambs to 4½d. In crossbred the best price obtained for fleece was 4½d for wethers and 4½d for ewes, pieces 3½d, bellies 3½d, locks 1½d.

PROPERTY SALES.

The week has not been fruitful of very much business in real estate, rather from the fact that the properties offered have been less attractive than usual, or hampered with conditions inimical to their satisfactory sale. Good rent-producing shops or dwellings command attention at rates recently current, and suburban building lots go off steadily. To-morrow (Saturday) afternoon Richardson and Wrench, Limited, will offer at auction over 60 allotments in the Vaucluse estate, 20 of them having frontages to the harbour between Rose and Watson's bays. The whole estate is splendidly situated, with thoroughfares 80ft. and 66ft. wide, being offered on liberal terms. Messrs. Raine and Horne will also offer to-morrow afternoon allotments of land at the Corso, Manly. The following details of business have been supplied:—

Richardson and Wrench, Ltd., report having sold by auction and private contract during the week the following properties:—Land and residence fronting Belmore-road, Randwick, for the sum of £3800; business premises, fronting Norton-street, Leichhardt, for £1725; property in eastern suburbs for £1325; cottage and land fronting Alfred-street, North Sydney, for £1000; dwelling fronting Pawley-street, Surry Hills, for the sum of £225; cottage fronting Nevill-street, Marrickville, for £281; small freehold fronting Caledonia-street, Paddington, for £91; and allotment of land forming part of Dawson Estate subdivision, Drummoyne, for £191 5s.

Messrs. D. J. M'Intyre and Co. report the following sales by public auction and private treaty:—North Sydney, Willoughby-road, block of land, 15ft. frontage, £300; ditto, allotment of land, Lord-street, 43ft. frontage, £296; Willoughby, block of land, about 29 acres, £2930; Turramurra, lot 9, section 2, Avoca Estate, £50; Petersham, 2 allotments, Virginia Estate, 43ft. frontage to Davis-street, £95; Mosman, allotment, Grimley's subdivision, £50; ditto, block of land, Spit-road, £211 8s 9d; ditto, 2 allotments, 30ft. frontage to Calamatta-street, £170; North Sydney, Arthur-street, land, 21ft. frontage, £105; Mosman, Stanley-avenue, block of land, £212; ditto, cottage and land, Harbor-street, £912; ditto, block of land, Military-road, area 1 acre 29 perches, £650; ditto, Vista-street, 2 allotments, 30ft. frontage, £300; North Sydney, cottage and land, Alfred-street, [illegible]; ditto, [illegible] allotment, 40ft. frontage, [illegible]. Total sales, £6520, 13s 8d.

Messrs. Percy Ethell and Co. report having sold during the week the following land on the Blue Mountains on behalf of the mortgagees:—Leura Estate, a block in area 2 acres for £25; Leura Heights Estate, a new subdivision, opposite the station, the whole of the blocks in this estate (excepting three allotments) at prices from £18 to £75 per block. Total sales in this estate, £[illegible].

NEWCASTLE TRADE REPORT.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

Business in commercial circles has been fairly brisk during the week just closing, and some large parcels of general merchandise have been despatched to Northern and North-western townships. The exports for the week include:—For Western Australia, 250 bullocks and 4000 sheep; and for Queensland 10 tons of bonedust, 10 tons of [illegible].

The flour market exhibits an upward tendency, but no alteration in price have yet taken place. Current rates are:—Sacks, £7 10s; quarters, £7 15s; and eighths, £8.

In the produce market values generally are very firm. Maize has advanced to 3s 7d for prime samples, and inferior kinds are bringing 3s 6d. Lucerne hay is worth £3 10s for large bales and £4 10s for small bales. Supplies are scarce. Oaten hay is quoted at £3 5s for the choice kinds, and other sorts are selling as low as £2 10s. First New Zealand B grade are exceptionally scarce, and quoted at 3s 6d. Local kinds are mentioned at 3s. Chaff is bringing £4 5s for prime country sorts, and inferior local lots are selling at £3 15s. Barley has hardened to the extent of 2d, and is now quoted at 3s 4d. Supplies are short. Bran is unchanged at £4 5s, and pollard is unaltered at £4 15s. Onions meet with a fair demand at £5 5s for prime Victorian lots. Potatoes are selling at £6 for prime Circular Heads, and Victorians are in very light demand at £4 15s. Wheat is exceptionally scarce and firm at 3s 4d for prime, and 3s 1½d for inferior. Straw remains without alteration at 52s 6d.

All lines of dairy produce are meeting with active inquiry. Butter has declined by 1d per lb., and eggs have advanced by 2d per dozen. Bacon has hardened by ½d per lb. all round. To-day's quotations are:—Butter: N.S.W. creamery, bulk 11d, prints 1s, pastry, 9½d to 10d. Eggs, 11d to 1s 1d per dozen. Bacon: N.S.W. long sides 8d to 8½d, middles 9½d to 9¾d, flitches 7½d to 7¾d, shoulders [illegible]; Hams: N.S.W., 10½d to 11d. Cheese: Queensland, medium, 6½d, loaf 7d; N.S.W., 7½d. Honey, 1½d for 60lb. tins. Lard (cases): Prints 6d, bulk 5½d, bladders 6½d. Beeswax, 1s 1d.

There are no alterations of importance to record in connection with the values of groceries and general merchandise. A new line of fish known as the Mullet Brand, locally tinned, has been placed on the market, and wholesale rates are:—Schnapper, 7s 6d; whiting, 7s; garfish, 7s; silver bream, 6s 6d; flathead, 6s 6d; bream, 5s 6d; and mullet, 5s.

Chemicals are quoted at:—Soda crystals, English 5s 9d, colonial 5s 6d; saltpetre, 28s; bluestone, 28s; sulphur, 12s 6d; alum, 10s 6d; ammonia, 9d; citric acid, 1s 10d; boracic acid, 45s; cream of tartar, 10d to 1s; tartaric acid, 1s 3d; whiting, £4; bicarb. soda, 10s.

Current rates for foreign freights are:—San Francisco, 10s; Honolulu, 11s; Manila, 17s; Ilo Ilo, 17s 6d; Singapore, 8s 6d; Java, 9s; Valparaiso, 14s 6d; Acapulco, 16s; Colombo, 14s; Hongkong, 10s; Panama, 18s; Shanghai, 14s.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

LAND AND HOUSES.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.—On the Ground, Vaucluse Estate, at 3, Land.

RAINE, and HORNE.—On the Ground, Manly, at 3, Land.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

A. G. JENKINS.—At his Rooms, at 10.30, Furniture, Sewing Machine, Glassware, Cutlery, Groceries, &c.

EVANS and CO.—At the Newtown Markets, Newtown, at 3, Furniture, Pianoforte, Carpets, Glassware, &c.

STRONGMAN and WATSON.—At the Burwood Salerooms, at 3, Furniture, Piano, Organ, &c.

LEAN.—At 366 Parramatta-road, at 3.30, Furniture, &c.

F. R. MINIFIE.—At 90 Parramatta-road, Annandale, at 11, Furniture, &c.; at 684 Darling-street, Rozelle, at 3, Furniture, Gas Stove, &c.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

DENT and PERRY.—At Redfern Station, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, Chaff, &c.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At Railway Cattle Station, St. Marys, at 1, Dairy and Fat Cattle.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DENT and PERRY.—At Newtown, at 7, Wood, &c.; at Darling Harbour, at 8, Wood, &c.

THE MONO-RAIL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I see by the cables that the mono-rail system is coming into favour very rapidly, the latest enterprise in this direction being the Glasgow-Edinburgh railway, to attain a speed of 117 miles an hour, and with such rapid communication it is needless to say it will revolutionise traffic. That being so, would it not be advisable to run a line to the Blue Mountains, where business men and others could reside and reach their offices in Sydney in half an hour? The tourist traffic would be enormous, and, as a matter of public works, would pay handsomely.

I am, &c.,

Feb. 6. ADVANCE.

MINING INTELLIGENCE.

Business on the Mining market yesterday was on a moderate scale. A further advance took place in the copper division with sales of Chillagoe Railway and Mines at 4s to 4s 1d, Mount Garnet Freehold at 26s 6d on terms, and Mungana at 4s. Barrier silver stocks were slightly easier in several instances, with very little disposition to do business on the part of holders. Block 10 changed hands at 45s, a weakening of 9d compared with the previous day. Briseis Tin Mines were in demand at advanced rates, and considerable business was reported at 18s to 18s 1½d. Queensland quartz ventures had a fair measure of attention at steady rates. Transactions included sales of South Glanmire and Monkland at 30s to 29s 10½d, an advance of 1s 6d; No. 2 South Great Eastern, at 48s 9d; Victoria G. M. Association, 4s 3d to 4s 7d; Band of Hope, 20s 9d; Mount Morgan, 85s; and No. 1 North Columbia Smithfield, at 3s 6d. Woodlark Island Proprietary had more inquiry, and contributing shares changed hands at 9d to 10d, with closing quotations showing buyers prepared to operate further at the latter figures. Business in coal stocks was represented by a sale of Wallsend at £32. Western Australian ventures are steady, but no business was reported.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.		Buyer.	Seller.
COAL.			Brilliant Central	17 6	80
Bellambi	20	—	Brilliant Extended	14 3	15 6
East Greta	—	24 3	Ditto, con.	10 9	11 9
Hetton	38	55	Clark's Brilliant Worcester, &c.	2 6	—
Newcastle	—	18 0	Ditto, con.	1 9	—
Stockton	8 10½	9 6	Columbia Consolidated	6	7 6
Ditto, new	3 6	—	Day Dawn Freehold Consolidated, paid	16	20
Vale of Clwydd	—	18	East Oriental and Glanmire	—	10
Wallsend	31 5	32 0	Kelly's Queen Block	—	6 8
Wickham and Bullock Island	—	7	Ditto, con.	4 10	5 8
Ditto, new	3d	6d	Mt. Morgan	82 6	85 0
Ditto preferential, £1 pd.	—	15	Nth Columbia and Smithfield No. 1	3 4	3 7½
COPPER.			N'th Oriental and Glanmire	1 6	—
Chillagoe	3 9	4 3	N'th Oriental and Glanmire No. 2	1 8	2
Great Cobar	60	77	No. 2 North Victory	—	2 2
Mount Garnet Freehold	26	—	Papuan	4 4½	4 6
Mungana (Chillagoe)	3 3	4 3	South Glanmire and Monkland	29 3	30
TIN.			South Great Eastern No. 2	48	—
Briseis	17 9	18 6	South Oriental and Glanmire No. 1	9 6	—
SILVER. New South Wales.			Victoria G.M. Association	4 6	4 7
British Broken Hill	—	10 9	Western Australia.		
Block 10	44 3	45 3	Associated	41 6	44
Block 14	8 9	—	Ditto, Northern Blocks	56 3	58 8
North Broken	11 9	12 6	Brown Hill Central	—	1 3
B. H. South	25	25 6	Chaffer's	4 3	5 3
Ditto, con.	18	19	Crœsus Proprietary	—	1/
B. H. South Blocks	—	7 6	Gt. Boulder	19	—
Ditto, con.	—	4 6	Gt. Boulder Perseverance	11 10	11 17 6
New White Leads	—	2	Hannan's Block 45	9d	11d
Sulphide Corporation	11	11 3	Hannan's Oroya	44	—
Tasmania.			Ivanhoe	7 12 6	7 17 6
Mount Lyell	81	86	Kalgurli South, London register	43 6	44 6
GOLD. New South Wales, &c.			Lake View Consols	86 6	96 6
Mount David	8d	1	Paringa Consolidated	1 9	2 9
Mt. Drysdale	14	16	Queensland Menzies	12	—
Occidental	—	12 9	Queen Margaret	4 9	5 9
Peak Hill	—	1 6	Queen Margaret Central	—	1 3
Ditto, con.	—	1			
Sunlight	1	—			
Woodlark Island	2 6	4			
Ditto, con.	10d	11½d			
Dredging and Sluicing Companies.					
Araluen Central	14 9	16 3			
Ditto, con.	13 6	15 3			
Araluen Proprietary	—	5 3			
Araluen Valley Consolidated	7 3	8 3			
Jembaicumbene	—	8			
Jerrecknorra	—	6d			
Macquarie No. 2	1	—			
Orens Valley	—	2			
Shoalhaven Terraces	2 8	3			
Turon River	—	7 6			
Queensland.					
Band of Hope	20 6	20 9			

EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales were reported:—Forenoon: Woodlark Island Proprietary, contributing, 9d; South Glanmire and Monkland, 30s; Victoria G. M. Association, 4s 3d. Later: No. 2 North Oriental, 1s 9d; No. 2 South Great Eastern, 48s 9d; Chillagoe Railway and Mines, 4s; Briseis Tin Mines, 18s, 18s, 18s. Noon: Mungana, 4s; No. 1 North Columbia Smithfield, 3s 6d; South Glanmire and Monkland, 30s, 29s 10½d. Briseis Tin Mines, 18s, 18s 1½d; Chillagoe Railway and Mines, 4s 1d; Mount Morgan, 85s. Afternoon: Mount Garnet Freehold, terms one month, 26s 6d; Victoria G.M. Association, 4s 7d. Later: B. Hill Block 10, 45s; Band of Hope, paid, 20s 9d; Woodlark, contributing, 10d; Spring Hill and Central Leads, 22s; South Glanmire and Monkland, 29s 10d; Wallsend Coal, £32.

Mr. R. N. Kirk, Sydney agent for the Broken Hill Proprietary Company, Limited, advises the receipt of the following cable by the company:—"London, February 6: Silver, 25 1⅜d (official quotation); lead, £11 10s (buyers' price); company's shares, 37s 6d (buyers)."

The Yerranderie Silver-mining Company, No Liability, advise having received returns from Cockle Creek as follows:—72 tons 10cwt. 2qr. 15lb., averaging 4dwt. 20gr. of gold, 106oz. of silver, and 11 per cent. lead per ton.

The Golden Bar Gold-mining Company, N.L., report having received the following telegram from the mine manager, dated February 3:—"Cleaned up 28 tons quartz for 22oz. gold." This was a trial crushing from stone obtained in putting up a rise from the 100ft. level.

The mine manager of the Victoria Gold-mining Association (Charters Towers) wires under date February 5 as follows:—"Struck formation and some reef, new shaft; cannot say much about it yet."

The Blayney mine, with the working plant, furnaces, railway siding, trucks, engines, boilers, and other appliances, is to be offered for sale at Adelaide on March 4 next, under instructions from the trustees, for the debenture-holders. Details are given in our advertising columns.

It is stated that the directors of the Woodlark Island Proprietary mine, New Guinea, have decided to adopt measures for the more economic working and development of the mine.

MINING IN NEW SOUTH WALES.

TUMUT, Friday.

Mr. T. Bell is exhibiting some fine specimens of gold quartz taken from a claim at Cherry Hill. Some pieces have actually more gold than quartz, and one piece of conglomerate kept a solid body by the gold it contained.

WEST WYALONG, Friday.

Sully's Chlorination Works treated 111 tons in the past month for 328oz. Mr. John Smith, original prospector, Buddigower tin field, has applied for a suspension of the labour conditions.

Deep regret has been expressed at the death of Mr. G. W. Neeld, one of the prospectors of this field and a shareholder of Neeld's prospecting mine, chlorination and battery works. Deceased left for Victoria a few months ago for the benefit of his health.

INTER-STATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

Sales and quotations on the Exchange to-day were:—Broken Hill Proprietary, 37s, buyer 36s 9d, seller 37s; Block 14, 9s 9d, buyer 9s 3d, seller 9s 9d; British, old, 9s 1d, seller 9s 3d; ditto, new, buyer 7s 10d, seller 8s 2d; Broken Hill Junction, 3s 3d, buyer 3s 2d, seller 3s 4d; North Broken Hill, 12s 1½d, 11s 10½d, buyer 11s 9d, seller 12s; South Broken Hill, paid, 25s, buyer 24s 9d, seller 25s 3d; ditto, contributing, 18s 6d, 18s 4½d; South Blocks, paid, 7s, buyer 6s 10d, seller 7s; ditto, contributing, 3s 11d, buyer 3s 10d, seller 3s 11d; Junction North, 1s 10d, 1s 10½d, buyer 1s 10½d, seller 1s 11d; Sulphide Corporation, preferential, buyer 19s 7d, seller 20s 3d; ditto, old, 11s, buyer 11d, seller 11s 1½d; Associated Gold Mines, London 41s 6d, colonial 42s, 43s 3d, buyer 43s, seller 43s 6d; ditto, Northern Blocks, London, 57s 3d; ditto, colonial, 57s 9d, 59s 3d, buyer 58s 6d, seller 59s; Block 45, 9d; Half-mile South, 2d; Brown Hill Central, 10d; Crœsus Proprietary, 8½d; Cosmopolitan, 31s 6d, buyer 31s 6d, seller 32s; Cumberland, paid, 3s 3d, 3s 1d, 3s 3d, buyer 3s 3d, seller 3s 4d; ditto, contributing, 2s 1d, 2s 3d, buyer 2s 2d, seller 2s 4d; Golden Bar, 10d; Great Boulder Proprietary, 20s 1½d, 20s 4½d, buyer 20s 3d, seller 20s 6d; Boulder Main Reef, 16s, buyer 15s 6d, seller 16s; Great Boulder Perseverance, buyer £11 14s, seller £11 16s; Hannan's Central Extended, 2s, 1s 11d, buyer 1s 10d, seller 1s 11d; Hainault, 11s 1½d, 10s 9d, buyer 10s 9d, seller 10s 10½d; Hannan's Oroya, 44s 9d, 46s, buyer 45s 9d, seller 46s; Island Eureka, 8s 6d, 8s 9d, buyer 8s 9d, seller 8s 10d; Ironsides North, 5d; Ivanhoe Gold Corporation, London, £7 17s, colonial, £7 18s, buyer £7 17s, seller £7 19s; Junction, 2s 7d, 2s 8d, buyer 2s 6½d, seller 2s 8d; Lake View Consols (colonial), 90s, buyer 88s, seller 92s 6d; Princess Royal, contributing, buyer 20s, seller 21s; ditto North, paid, 4s 1d, 3s 11d, buyer 3s 10d, seller 4s; ditto, contributing, 3s 9d, 3s 7½d, 3s 6d, 3s 5d, buyer 3s 5d, seller 3s 6d; ditto South, contributing, 7½d, buyer 7d, 7½d; Queen Margaret, 6s, 4s 10d, 5s, buyer 4s 10d, seller 5s; ditto, Central, 10½d, 9½d; Queensland Menzies, 12s 4½d, buyer 12s 4½d, seller 12s 6½d; South Kalgurli, 44s 3d, buyer 43s 9d, seller 44s 6d; Westralia Waihai, contributing, 1s 6d, buyer 1s 3d, seller 1s 6d; Victory United, 1s, 9½d, 1s 7d, buyer 1s 6d, seller 1s 7d; Baker's Creek, buyer 5s, seller 6s; Tarcoola Blocks, buyer 10s 6d, seller 12s; Chillagoe Railway and Mines, 3s 11d, 4s, 3s 10d, buyer 3s 9d, seller 3s 10d; Mungana, 4s, 3s 11½d, buyer 3s 11d, seller 4s; Paull's, buyer 82s 6d, seller £5; Wallaroo, 18s 9d, 19s, buyer 18s 10½d, seller 19s 1½d; North Queensland Tin, £23, £19, £20, seller £20; Briseis Tin Mines, 18s 4½d, 18s 3d, buyer 18s 1½d, seller 18s 3d; Smith's Creek, £20 10s, £24 10s, £24, seller £25.

BALLARAT, Friday.

Sales on the Exchange to-day were:—Berry Consols Extended, 24s 9d, 26s 3d; Berry United, 1s 4d, 1s 3½d, 2s; Birthday, 20s; Birthday South, 4s 9d; Central Plateau, 9d; Glenfine Consols, 5s 9d, 5s 6d, 6s 10½d, 5s 9d; Imperial Queen, 5½d; Last Chance United, 5s 6d, 5s 4½d; Laidler's Freehold, 3s 2d; Main Leads North, 15s 3d, 15s 6d; New Caxton, 1s 3d, 1s 1d; New Normanby, 1s 3d; Red, White, and Blue, 8s 3d; Sons of Freedom South, 4s 3d, 4s 6d; Spring Hill and Central, 18s 9d, 20s 3d; Star of the East, 20s 6d, 20s 9d, 20s 3d; West Berry Consols, 8s 1½d.

BENDIGO, Friday.

On the Exchange to-day sales were: Chance Reef, 1s 6d; Clarence 53s 6d, 53s; Don, 1s 11d; Golden Pyke, 11s 6d; Horwood and Burrowes, 2s, 2s 1d; Lady Brassey, 8d; Londonderry, £10; Quartz Hill, 9s 4½d; Railway Prince of Wales, 8d; Sea, 8s 6d to 9s 3d; South Devonshire, 3s 1d; South New Moon, 71s; Specimen Hill, 9s 9d; Spring Gully No. 1, 3s 2d; Ulster, 11s 9d; New Moon United, paid, 1s.

BRISBANE, Friday.

Quotations on the Exchange to-day were:—Chillagoe Railway and Mines, buyer 4s 1d, seller 4s 6d; Chillagoe Debentures, buyer £7½; Mungana, buyer 3s 9d, seller 4s 3d; Mount Garnet Freehold, seller 30s.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Friday.

Sales on the Exchange to-day were:—Bonnie Dundee, 13s 6d; Craven's Caledonia, 4½d; Queen Cross Reef, 27s 6d; Queen Central, paid, 5s 4d, 5s 5d, 5s 6d; Victoria Queen, 5s 3d, 5s 4½d, 5s 2d.

GYMPIE, Friday.

Sales on the Exchange to-day were:—Columbia Smithfield, 4½d; Oriental Surprise, 7½d; Oriental and Glanmire (old), 14s 10d, 15s. Quotations were:—Columbia Smithfield, buyer 4d, seller 4½d; No. 1 North Columbia Smithfield, buyer 3s 6d, seller 4s 2d; No. 2 ditto, buyer 3s 7d, seller 3s 9d; South Glanmire and Monkland, buyer 28s 6d, seller 30s 9d; Glanmire and Monkland Tributes, buyer 2½d, seller 3½d; No. 1 South Gympie Gold Mines, buyer 2s 1d, seller 2s 3d; Oriental Surprise, buyer 7s, seller 7½d; Oriental and Glanmire (old), buyer 15s, seller 15s 2d; ditto, new, buyer 13s 9d, seller 14s 6d; No. 2 North Oriental and Glanmire, buyer 1s 9d, seller 2s; North Oriental and Glanmire, buyer 1s 10d, seller 2s 3d; Oriental Extended, paid, buyer 2s 1d, seller 2s 4d; ditto, contributing, buyer 1s 4d, seller 1s 5½d; East Oriental and Glanmire, contributing, buyer 7s 7d, seller 9s 3d; Oriental and Columbia Consols, contributing, buyer 12s, seller 15s; Phœnix Eastern Tribute, buyer 2s 3d, seller 2s 4d; Queen's Oriental, buyer 1s 1d, seller 1s 2½d.

HOBART, Friday.

Quotations on the Exchange to-day were:—Hercules, buyer 2s 5d, seller 3s 3d; Lyell Blocks, buyer 2s 3d, seller 2s 9d; North Lyell, buyer 30s, seller 33s 6d; Mount Bischoff, buyer £33 2s 6d, seller £33 10s; Briseis Tin Mines, buyer 17s 3d; Tasmania Gold Mine, buyer £7 2s 6d; Silver King, buyer £5 10s, seller £8; Barn Bluff, buyer 2s, seller 40s.

LAUNCESTON, Friday.

Exchange quotations to-day were:—Tasmania Gold Mine, buyer £7 3s, seller £7 7s, sales £7 3s; Volunteer, buyer 1s 6d, seller 1s 7½d, sale 1s 6½d; Hercules, buyer 2s 7½d, seller 3s; Mount Lyell, seller 87s; Briseis Tin Mines, seller 18s 6d; Mount Bischoff, buyer £33.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Among mining companies on the Exchange to-day sales were:—Broken Hill South, contributing, 18s 9d; ditto, paid, 25s 6d; South Blocks, contributing, 4s 2d, 4s; ditto, paid, 7s 1d; Broken Hill Junction, 3s 4d, 3s 3d; North Broken Hill, 12s, 11s 10½d; Sulphide Corporation, 11s; Mount Lyell, 85s 6d, 85s; Mount Lyell Blocks, 2s 4d; North Mount Lyell, 32s 6d; Tasman and Crown Extended, contributing, 6d; ditto, paid, 1s; Chillagoe Railway and Mines, 4s 2d, 3s 11d; Mount Garnet Freehold, 26s 3d, 26s 6d, 25s 9d; Mungana, 4s, 3s 9d; Briseis Tin Mines, 18s 6d, 18s, 18s 3d; Brothers Home No. 1, 4s 1d, 4s 4d; Glenfine Consols, 6s, 5s 6d; Glenfine South, 40s; Long Tunnel, 18s; Long Tunnel Extended, £7 12s; Long Tunnel North, 7s; South New Moon, 71s 6d; Berry United, 1s 4d, 1s 6d; Bristol Reef, 6d; Burnt Creek, 3s 3d; Duke of Wellington, 8d; Excelsior, 11d, 10½d; Norwood and Burrowes, 2s; Imperial Queen, 4½d; Johnson's, 12s 6d; Lord Nelson, 68s; Main Leads, paid, 4s 10d; Main Leads North, 15s; New Normanby, 1s 2½d; Quartz Hill, 9s 2d; Red, White, and Blue, 8s 1½d; South Birthday, 4s 10d; South Devon, 3s 2d; South Star, 8d, 7d; South Victor, contributing, 1s 5d; ditto, paid, 2s; Spring Hill Leads, 23s, 23s 6d, 23s 3d; Star of the East, 20s 6d; Victoria Quartz, 4s 6d, 4s 8d; West Berry Consols, 8s 4d.

LONDON MINING MARKET.

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Mining quotations are:—

Chillagoe Railway and Mines, 4s 6d.

Mount Lyells, £4 5s.

North Lyells, £1 11s 3d.

KALGOORLIE GOLD YIELDS.

KALGOORLIE, Friday.

The following January outputs are reported:—Great Boulder Battery treated 2439 tons for 1384½oz.; Sulphide Mill, 5933 tons for 4571oz.; by amalgamation, 688½oz.; cyanidation of tailings, 3224 tons for 1331½oz.; total, 8372 tons for 1417oz. Ivanhoe Gold Corporation battery treated 11,020 tons for 5650oz.; Sands, 5440 tons for 2060½oz.; slimes, 5343 tons for 225½oz.; concentrates, 237 tons for 1100½oz.; total, 11,020 tons for 11,085½oz.; Queen Margaret, 745 tons for 3313½oz. Included in the Queen Margaret return are 243 tons taken from the White Horse lease, which yielded 220oz.

LAKE VIEW CONSOLS.

KALGOORLIE, Friday.

The following is an extract from a letter recently received by the London office of the Lake View Consols Company from Mr. T. Hewitson:—"Every part of your mine has been inspected by me, and the ore bodies measured and assay values completed. I believe you have a good and promising property, and so far as my judgment goes the prospects are very good, although some of them are not sufficiently developed to establish data. The working expenses of the mine are just now more than ordinarily high, arising from several reasons, one being the large amount of development work that is being vigorously pushed forward, and owing to the physical character of the lode—it being schistose—and the massive character of the country. There are many points in the mine which appear to be off the main leaders, the best ore probably being in either of the walls. All machinery is working well, and the position of some of the vats is being altered so as to make the work more consecutive. In a few months this expense will be over, and economies will make themselves apparent in the working of the mine."

CALLS.

Calls have been made in the following mining companies as advertised in the "Herald", and are due and payable on Wednesday, February 12:—

Alpine Copper-mining Company, 6d.
Bayley's Gold Mines, Limited, 6d, January 31.
Big Wertago Copper-mining Company, 1d.
Broad Arrow Consols G. M. Company, 1s.
Corown Deep Lead G. M. and P. Company, 3d.
Cunningham Creek Pioneer Pump-dredging Company, 1s.
Day Dawn G. M. Company, N.L., 6d.
Grassy Gully G.M. Company, N.L., 3d.
Greenmouth Lagoons G. D. Company, N.L., 3s.
Lady Macquarie G. D. Company, 2s.
Mount David G. M. Company, ½d.
New Dayspring G. M. Company, N.L. (Parkes), 6d.
New Prince of Wales G. M. Company, 1d.
North Broken Hill S. M. Company, 6d.
Phœnix G. M. Company (Parkes), 6d.
Punkalla G. D. Company, 1s.
Scottish Consolidated Tin Mines, 1s.
Tasman Ophir G. M. Company, ½d.
Taroos G. D. Company, 4d, January 30.
Welshman's Reef G. M. Company, 2d.
Wolaroi G. M. Company, ½d.

GOLD YIELDS.

Glenfine South, 1150 tons for 410oz. 9dwt., also 115oz. of alluvial for 11 days.

Kelly's Queen Block, 270 tons for 236oz. 16dwt.

No. 2 North Victory crushed 204 tons for 106oz. of smelted gold.

South Glanmire and Monkland crushed 1880 tons for 2678oz. of smelted gold.

DIVIDENDS.

The following dividends have been declared, and are payable on the dates specified:—

Brilliant Central, Charters Towers, 1s 3d, February 14.
Jembaicumbene Dredging Company, N.L., 6d, February 6.
Jubilee, 6d, February 13.
Queensland Menzies (W.A.), 6d, February 14.
South Glanmire and Monkland, 2s, February 10.
Sons of Freedom, 6d, February 13.
Tasmanian G. M. Company, 1s, February 8.

REPORTS.

The manager of the Yarranderie Silver-mining Company reports as follows:—Sinking of main shaft is now being proceeded with. This will enable us to put in a new level east and west very shortly, and to increase the output of ore. Machinery all in good order.

The manager of the Lyell Tharsis Mining Company, N.L., reports for the week ended January 31:—100ft. level: West crosscut off winze extended to 31ft., the last 11ft. in green schist, very low grade. The last shot or two in face has disclosed important change in country; soft schist similar to footwall of ore body coming in.

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Mr. S. A. PALMER.

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I remain, yours gratefully,

JOSEPH COX.

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AMUSEMENTS.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

All the week Mr. H. H. Vincent and the new English company have had Her Majesty's Theatre entirely to themselves during the final preparations for to-night's elaborate production of "Ben Hur." Mr. J. C. Williamson has been enterprising in securing the spectacular religious drama so early, as, although the piece has enjoyed two years of substantial success in America, it has only been performed in London for copyright purposes, and will not be properly staged there until Easter, when it forms the Drury Lane attraction. No pains have been spared in training the horses for the chariot race at Her Majesty's Theatre. Scores were tested and were rejected as unable to learn the work before two fast teams were secured for the "real gallop" which gives realism to the scene. Messrs. John Gordon, George Dixon, and assistants have painted a great series of elaborate tableaux, illustrating the following portions of General Lew Wallace's famous romance:—Meeting of the Three Wise Men, House-top of the Palace of Ben Hur at Jerusalem, Interior of the Roman galley "Astraea," the wreck after the battle with the pirates, and the rescue; the House of Simonides at Antioch, the Grove of Daphne, the Temple of Apollo, the Masque of Eros, the Fountain of Castalia, and the revels in the grove; the Dowar in the Orchard of Palms, the supper with Sheik Ilderim, and the meeting on the lake between Ben Hur and Iras; the Gateway of the Circus at Antioch, the Arena, and the Chariot Race; Ben Hur's deserted Palace at Jerusalem, the Vale of Hinnon, Mount Olivet, and the miracle of the healing of the lepers. Mr. George Hall will conduct a powerful chorus and orchestra, the Royal Ballerinas will appear, and there will be many auxiliaries. The cast will include the following artists, of whom the majority make their first appearance in Australia:—Ben Hur, Judah, son of Ithamar, Mr. Conway Tearle; Messala (a Roman youth), Mr. H. Hamilton Stewart; Simonides (a Jew, friend of Ithamar), Mr. Austin Melford; Arrius, the Tribune, Mr. F. Lumsden Hare; Ilderim (a Sheik), Mr. George F. Black; Drusus, Mr. Frank Hollins; Cecilius, Mr. Edmund Grant; Malluch (in the service of Simonides), Mr. Roland Stavely; Hortator, Mr. J. Robinson; Metellus, Mr. Sydney Bell; Sanballat, Mr. Johnson Weir; Esther (Simonides' daughter), Miss May Chevalier; Iras (the Egyptian's daughter), Miss Ruth Mackay; Mother of Hur, Miss Mabel Lane; Tirzah (sister of Hur), Miss Rose Musgrove; Amrah (nurse of Hur), Miss Alma Vaughan. The Prelude: Balthazar (the Egyptian), Mr. W. F. Grant; Gaspar (the Greek), Mr. G. Murray; Melchior (the Hindoo), Narranji. The curtain will rise at 7.45 o'clock this evening. There will be matinees throughout the season on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

PALACE THEATRE.

"Why Smith Left Home," George H. Broadhurst's "gleeful plenitude," will be revived at the Palace Theatre to-night, and for two of the closing performances of Mr. Charles Arnold's season. In this laughable piece Mr. George Willoughby will play the important role of "John Smith who loves his wife and lives in New York," whilst Mr. Charles Arnold repeats his droll sketch of Count von Guggenheim, who "made dem twins." The caste will also includes:—General Billetdoux, Mr. Edwin Lester; Major Duncombe, Mr. E. W. Thomas; Robert Walton, Mr. Frank Denton; Mrs. John Smith, Miss Agnes Knights; Miss Smith, Miss Ada Lee; Mrs. Billetdoux, Miss Bensusan; Rose Walton, Miss Hope Mayne; Julia, Miss Dot Frederic; Elsie, Miss Adelaide Kenningham; and Lavinia Daly, Miss Sallie Booth. Mr. Charles Arnold will close his season at the Palace with a farewell appearance in "What Happened to Jones," on Wednesday evening next.

THE WORLD'S ENTERTAINERS.

The second season of the World's Entertainers will open at the Palace Theatre next Saturday, under the management of Messrs. Williamson, Lee, and Rial. Mr. Henry Lee, who conducted the first successful season of 12 weeks at the same house, came over from Melbourne this week in readiness for the arrival of his partner, Mr. J. G. Rial, by the Ventura this morning. Mr. Rial brings from America 25 artists for next Saturday's season at the Melbourne Bijou Theatre, and there will also be six new acts for the season at the Palace. The new American artists at the Palace will include the Bunth and Rudd quartet of acrobats, jugglers, dancers, and humourists; the Marvellous Lottos, who ride bicycles on a cycle track built at an angle of 60 degrees—a somewhat alarming novelty; Carl Nillson's Butterfly Ballet troupe, with ingenious electrical appliances, scenery, and costumes; Ilma De Monza, a refined dancer and singer of French chansonettes and Hungarian folk-songs; Mr. George Lyding, a new tenor; and a new Shadowgraphist. The Palace Theatre combination will also embrace the nucleus of the original company. Mr. Henry Lee's "great men, past and present," will include the Pope, Kipling, Gladstone, and Chamberlain. Mr. Charles R. Sweet will be burglariously musical; and Allan Shaw, Miss Josephine Gassman and her pickaninnies, Nelstone and Forest, and the Mahr Sisters will appear. The plan for the World's Entertainers' second season will open at Elvy's on Monday.

LYCEUM THEATRE.

Henry Leonard's new military drama "On Active Service" will be produced by Mr. William Anderson at the Lyceum Theatre to-night. The new play, which deals with the Egyptian war, will be illustrated by new scenery painted by Mr. Rege Robins, and will show the naval prison ship at Portsmouth, the deck of H.M.S. Grantham, and a battle near the Cataracts of the Nile. A long cast will include the following:—Dick Foster, Mr. Robert Inman; Jim Thornbury, Mr. H. O. Willard; Count Brisson, Mr. Temple Harrison; Commander Colville, R.N., Mr. J. H. Nunn; Daniel Daniels, Mr. Sterling Whyte; Horatio Nelson Daniels, Mr. Bert Bailey; Flossie, Miss Ethel Buckley; Stella Colville, Miss Ada Guildford; Rose Foster, Miss Ivy Gorrick.

CRITERION THEATRE.

"A Thousand Pounds Reward" will be produced at the Criterion Theatre to-night. Charles Rogers is the author of this drama, which is in a prologue and three acts, the former taking place in South Africa, and the rest of the action in a coming den in London, at Gatti's Music Hall, and at Sydenham. Mr. Charles Holloway announces "£1000 Reward" for six nights only, and with a cast which will include the following:—Detective Vincent Rainsworth, Mr. C. R. Stanford; Inspector Gilbert, Mr. Chalmers; Gilbert Lisle, alias the Hawk, Mr. Lawrence Dunbar; Frederick Ingleford, Mr. William Taite; Fighting Jepps, Mr. J. P. O'Neill; Dick Springthorpe, Mr. Edmund Leonard; Madame Sanson, Miss Helene Burdette; Meg Ingleford, Miss Beatrice Holloway; Kitty Springthorpe, Miss Alice Deorwyn; Mrs. M'Carthy, Miss Rose Holloway. "A Life's Revenge" will be staged next Saturday.

TIVOLI THEATRE.

This afternoon and evening the new programme by Mr. Harry Rickards's Company at the Tivoli Theatre will be strengthened by Mr. Charles Pastor, the laughing comedian, from the Alhambra Theatre, London; Miss Nellie Randall, from the London Tivoli; Mr. Leon Roche, baritone, the Casselli Sisters, specialty dancers, and Miss Jennie Opie, well known as a comic opera contralto, in new illustrated songs. Mlle. Lotty will introduce new pictures in her poses plastiques entertainment, Derenda and Breen will vary their marvellous club juggling, and Gallando, the Allisons, Val Vousden, Little Fanny Powers, Carleton and Sutton, the Williams Sisters, and other favourite artists will assist.

Mr. Harry Rickards has several star artists due here this morning by the Ventura, including Messrs. Callahan and Mack, and he anticipates the arrival of fresh artists by every mail from England and America for many months to come.

EMPIRE THEATRE.

At the Empire Theatre Messrs. John Fuller and Sons' Empire Vandeville Company will present an entirely fresh programme with new artists, both at to-day's matinee and in the evening. The new first part will be entitled "Happy Japan," and will introduce Professor Beckford, Miss Tessie Stainton, Mr. Ted Herberte, and other artists.

CONCERT AT PADDINGTON.

The Mayor of Paddington (Alderman R. W. Usher) presided at a benefit concert given in the local Town Hall on Thursday evening. The concert was for the benefit of the family of the late Mr. Cummins, who was recently drowned. The members of Mr. J. Brailey's Federal Variety Company were the principal performers. Mr. H. Stedman acted as "Host," Mr. Joe Brailey as Tambo, and Mr. Slavin as Bones. After the opening overture by Mr. E. Golding the company sang a chorus from "Florodora." Amongst those who assisted were the Misses Cassie Slavin, Ruby Warren, Eva St. Clair, F. Gardall, Winter, Eva Reichardt, O'Keefe, and Messrs. A. Hogg, D. Davis, E. Clarke, F. Carter, and Master Brailey. Mr. D. Parry acted as secretary. There was a large attendance, and the entertainment was highly appreciated. A dance followed.

HERR STERNBERG'S CONCERT.

Herr Felix Sternberg will give a piano recital and concert at the rooms of the Professional Musicians' Association, Rowe-street, on Monday evening next. The Russian pianist, who studied under both Henselt and Rubinstein, will introduce for the first time Mikuli's arrangement of a manuscript "Prelude in A flat" by Chopin, besides playing Beethoven's "Sonata in C major" (op. 2 No. 3), and pieces by Brassin, Moszkowski, and himself. Miss Julia Davies will be the vocalist of the evening, and Mr. Frank E. Down the accompanist.

MR. SYDNEY HOBEN'S CONCERT.

On Tuesday evening Mr. Sydney Hoben will direct a concert at the Centenary Hall, in aid of St. Margaret's Hospital. Perusal of the full programme detailed in another column will show that an excellent entertainment will be given, to which the contributing artists will be Misses Fanny Bauer, Mabel Ward, Bertha Fusing, Mrs. Parslow-Wallace, Messrs. Toner, Arthur Mason, Burns-Walker, Lawrence Campbell, E. Stevenson, R. J. Hogan, and the Lotus Glee Club.

MISS EVA MYLOTT'S TOUR.

Miss Eva Mylott, who was singing at Bathurst last evening, resumes touring with her own company on Monday, as notified in another column. The popular contralto's concert tour will embrace Cobargo, Tilba, Neringundah, Moruya, and other South Coast towns towards Dapto, and will last until March 6.

SIGNOR PODENZANA'S FAREWELL.

On Thursday evening next a farewell entertainment will be given at the Palace Theatre, in honour of Signor Podenzana. The Italian 'cellist, who is shortly leaving for Europe, has secured the patronage of the Federal and State Premiers, the Cardinal, the Mayor, the Consul for Italy (Chevalier Marano, M.D.), and others, and strong committees are engaged in organising the affair. Signor Podenzana himself will appear in a new and original sketch, "The Eccentric Musicians," and a number of favourite artists have consented to assist.

MUSIC, PLAY, SONG, AND STORY.

At the Queen's Hall on Thursday night, under the auspices of the Alexandra Club, the Sydney Comedy Club will perform "A Quiet Family," assisted by Mrs. C. A. Edwards, Miss Annie Perry, Mrs. David Braham, Miss Edith Kilminster, Mr. Sussmilch, Mr. H. D. Soutar, Mr. Ray Simmonds, and Mr. F. R. Peel's Mandolin Society. Miss von Heinbockel will contribute "Twenty Minutes through Natal," with illustrations. Mr. F. L. Hodgkinson will direct the entertainment, and Miss Mary Robinson will be the accompanist.

TOWN HALL ORGAN RECITALS.

The City Organist (Mr. Arthur Mason) will give the customary recital of popular and romantic music at the Town Hall to-night, when will be performed the programme detailed in another column.

CHURCH NEWS.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

The Archbishop of Sydney on Saturday afternoon last laid the foundation-stone of the new Mission Church at Mill Hill, Waverley, on Monday afternoon presided at the monthly meeting of the committee of the Church Society, on Tuesday evening left town for the South Coast district, yesterday opened a new Deaconess' High School established at Bega, and will preach to-morrow at Bega and Cobargo.

The Bishop of Newcastle preached at St. John's, Raymond Terrace, St. Andrew's, Seaham, and St. James', Morpeth, last Sunday. At Raymond Terrace an offertory of £50 was given for the cathedral fund.

The Bishop of Bathurst on Tuesday at the opening of the session of the Diocesan Synod delivered his presidential address, and preached at its meetings during the session.

The Archbishop has appointed the Rev. Hubert Alfred Dempster rector of the parish of St. Matthew's, Botany.

The synod of the diocese of Goulburn has accepted the "amendment of constitutions appeal ordinance of 1895," and it will be submitted for the assent of the Bishop recently elected after his installation.

The Rev. Francis J. Abe, formerly of the diocese of Rockhampton, and who has held recent appointments at Grafton and Gunnedah, has been appointed to succeed Canon Sowter in the parish and district of All Saint's, Moree. Mr. Abe has been welcomed by the parishioners and has commenced duty.

On Sunday afternoon last, at a special service held in the St. Thomas' Mission Hall, Lilyfield, the Rev. J. Dixon presented the prizes to the successful scholars of the Sunday school.

Harvest thanksgiving services have been held at St. John's (Wellington), St. Stephen's, (Mittagong), St. John's (Milson's Point), and at Delegate.

On Sunday afternoon last the Rev. H. Fryer (rural dean), by the authority of the Archbishop, inducted the Rev. R. L. Houston as rector of St. Thomas', Mulgoa, with Greendale and Luddenham.

Successful sales of work have been held during the week at St. Mark's, Sylvania, and St. Paul's, Cleveland-street.

The Rev. E. P. Lowe, curate of St. John's, Mudgee, has been appointed to the mission district of Capertee.

On Tuesday evening an entertainment was given in St. Saviour's Church-hall, Goulburn, by the members of the Bands of Hope in connection with the cathedral parish, Christ Church, Goulburn West, and All Saints', Eastgrove.

Messrs. A. M. Betts, T. F. Meyer, Russell Connolly, C. M. Shaw, C. L. Joscolyne, and Henry Joyce have been elected by the Goulburn Diocesan Synod as members of the cathedral council.

The announcement of the death of Mrs. Wilkinson, wife of the Rev. E. S. Wilkinson, M.A., of St. Jude's, Bowral, has been received with much regret. Mrs. Wilkinson was widely known for her successful efforts in promoting philanthropic and mission work. She was an ardent worker for Dr. Barnado's Homes, and for evangelistic work in the State and foreign fields. Her constant endeavour was to do good for others, and the loss sustained by her decease is therefore not confined to the parish in which she resided, but extends to those organisations in which she took a deep interest, and for which she laboured with unwearied devotion.

Yesterday evening being the Chinese New Year's Eve divine service was held in St. Luke's, Wexford-street, at 11 o'clock, when the address was delivered by the Rev. J. H. Mullens.

On Tuesday evening at a Gleaners' Union meeting held at St. Clements', Marrickville, and presided over by the Rev. A. E. Bellingham, the Rev. George Soo Hoo Ten and two Chinese converts gave an interesting account of the work which is being carried on in connection with the mission to the Chinese in Sydney.

We are requested to state that the absence of clergy from the funeral of the late Rev. T. W. Unwin was owing to the alteration in the arrangements previously notified, and that several had arranged to be present. The service at the grave was taken by the Rev. H. Bryant and Archdeacon Gunther.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

Cardinal Moran has decided to leave Sydney on the 26th instant on his visit to Rome. He will be a passenger by the R.M.S. Ophir. It is his intention to remain three months in Rome and also three months in Ireland. His absence from the State will extend over about eight months.

On Monday morning at 10 o'clock the Cardinal will open the new chapel attached to St. Vincent's Convent, Victoria-street North. High Mass will be celebrated by the Coadjutor-Archbishop.

The Rev. Dr. Murray, Bishop of North Queensland, has deferred his visit to Crayan and the Gulf country until after the rainy season. He hopes to arrive in Cooktown on his return from the trip early in March.

After revisiting the United States and Ireland, and having an audience with the Pope on his way out, the Very Rev. M. Buckley has returned to his parish, Junee. He had a cordial welcome from the members of his flock.

The Rev. John M'Inerney, S.J., has been appointed chaplain to the Commonwealth Contingent.

The Very Rev. John Ryan, S.J., Provincial of the Jesuit Fathers of the Commonwealth, is a passenger by the German mail steamer Grosser Kurfurst, which sails to-day for Europe. He is proceeding to Ireland to attend a Provincial Chapter of the Irish Province of the Order in Dublin. Thence he will proceed to Rome, returning to Australia about the end of August.

CONGREGATIONAL.

The Rev. A. Laishley, who recently arrived in this State from England, will leave Sydney to-day for New Zealand.

To-morrow morning the Rev. W. G. Lawes, of New Guinea, will preach in the Pitt-street Congregational Church, his subject being "Our Coloured Federal Subjects." In the evening at the same church the Rev. E. Tremayne Dunstan will continue his series of addresses on "Books Read by the Million," the volume under consideration being "The Scarlet Woman."

The Rev. Michael Harris, who lately accepted a call to the Gerringong Congregational Church, has received a very cordial welcome from the members and adherents of the church, and several social functions have been held in his honour.

Mr. Castleman, a student of Camden College, who is supplying the pulpit of the Rockhampton (Q.) Congregational Church during the present month, will return to Sydney at the end of that term.

The Rev. E. Tremayne Dunstan has accepted an invitation to preach the jubilee sermon at the Congregational Church, Auckland, New Zealand, towards the end of March. Whilst in New Zealand he will visit Christchurch and Dunedin.

The Rev. J. Beckenham, of Waterloo, who has been seriously ill, is slowly recovering. The Rev. E. Tremayne Dunstan will preach in his church to-morrow morning.

The Congregational Church at Dulwich Hill, under the pastorate of Rev. W. Morley, has increased in numbers, and its work so developed that the congregation have undertaken a large scheme of improvement and alteration. The work which is now being carried out provides for a thorough renovation of the building. The church is to be re-seated throughout. A handsome pulpit will be erected, and all the furnishings of the church renewed. A new entrance to Lewisham-street will give much-needed improvement to the means of egress. There will be no interruption of the services during the progress of the work. To-morrow is Thanksgiving Sunday, when a special thanksgiving will be devoted to the renovation fund.

METHODIST.

A circular letter has been addressed by the Rev. George Lane, president of the conference, to the ministers and people of the Methodist churches of New South Wales, requesting them to make Sunday (to-morrow) "a day of public prayer unto Almighty God, that He may be pleased to send upon our country abundant showers of rain."

The New Zealand Primitive Methodist Conference has carried a resolution proposing to submit the question of Methodist union, and the findings of the conference thereupon, to the quarterly meetings to be held in March.

A harvest festival will be held to-morrow at Wesley Church, Chippendale. The ex-president will preach at 11 a.m., the service at 3 o'clock will be conducted by the Rev. J. Nairn and the Rev. F. Colwell, and at 7.15 the Rev. Dr. Dill-Macky will preach.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

A handsome brick chapel has just been completed for the Church of Christ, Petersham. It is situated at the corner of Margaret and Gannon streets, close to the Parramatta-road, and will be opened by special services to-morrow afternoon and evening. There will also be special services during the week, at all of which there will be singing by the children and friends.

AUSTRALIAN CHURCH.

The first of a series of discourses on "Great Teachers" was delivered last Sunday by the Rev. George Walters, the topic being "The two Newmans," in which the journey of John Henry Newman to Roman Catholicism, and that of Francis William to rationalism, were defined. The subject to-morrow (Sunday) evening will be "Channing, Ralph Waldo Emerson, and Theodore Parker."

SALVATION ARMY.

Commissioner and Mrs. M'Kie passed through Sydney on Thursday last en route to New Zealand, and sailed by the s.s. Maroroa.

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OPENING OF SYNOD.

A gathering of ministers and laymen connected with the Free Presbyterian Church of Eastern Australia occurred at St. George's Church, Castlereagh-street, last night, when the annual service prior to the opening of the synod was engaged in. The Rev. D. M'Innes (Maclean) presided, and there were present the Revs. W. Archibald, W. Macdonald, and a number of church adherents.

The Rev. D. M'Innes preached a sermon from the text, "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life." He said that there was in the text a promise and a condition. God's promises were glorious, and His conditions were such as would not be regarded by those who loved Him as difficult. The preacher dealt with various kinds of faithfulness, including that of married people. He said that well-intentioned people might be guilty of a kind of idolatry. The Holy Ghost was the convincing teacher of faithful service to God. He emphasised the necessity for thoroughness and earnestness, the freeing of the mind from earthly things, and an uplifting of it to the contemplation of heavenly matters. An essential to faithfulness was love, such love as God showed when He sent His Son into the world to save sinners. It was impossible for men to render perfect love, but it could at least be sincere. The preacher dealt with the reward promised, and explained what he thought its nature would be.

The business of the synod was afterwards commenced.

AUSTRALIAN WORKERS' UNION CONFERENCE.

NEW RULES.

At the conference of the Australian Workers' Union yesterday the committee to which was entrusted the revision of the rules brought up a report, and it was ordered that the rules as proposed by them be printed and submitted to the conference. After that they were to be submitted to the Registrar of Trades Unions, and afterwards the application be made to register the union under the Industrial Arbitration Act.

The drafting committee also presented a report containing a draft agreement for the labour section of the union. It was ordered that it be submitted to counsel for opinion, and afterwards returned to the conference for approval.

A communication was received from Mr. Rae, of the Anti-War League, asking that the conference would grant facilities, through its officers, for distributing copies of the petition to the Imperial authorities on the subject of the war in South Africa. It was resolved to comply with the request.

The rules regarding the "Worker" newspaper were altered so as to provide that the president of the union, Mr. W. G. Spence, M.P., and the secretary, Mr. D. MacDonnell, M.L.A., should be members of the board of management by virtue of their offices in the union.

The conference then adjourned until the following day.

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Musical Instruments.
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Auction Sales.
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AUCTION SALE, 11 a.m., 99 Parramatta-road, Annandale, Stock, &c., of a Dyer and Scourer, Household Furniture, &c. F. H. MINIFIE, Auctioneer.
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ELECTION OF COMMITTEE FOR 1902.
The following are the NOMINATIONS for ELECTION up to 8 p.m. on Monday, 10th February, 1902:—
COMMITTEE
(TWELVE required from the following sixteen candidates):—*D. Alderton, *G. M. Alexander, *R. B. Barton, *W. Briggs, J. Campbell, C. H. Dalesimo, J. Doherty, H. T. Donaldson, *Mrs. A. G. Edwards, A. Harlog, *C. E. M'Roberts, *R. Patrick, *J. Roberts, J. Thorpe, F. E. Wallace, J. A. Wilkinson.
NOTE.—Those marked with an asterisk (*) are at present in office.
There is NO COMPETITION for the offices of PRESIDENT (1), VICE-PRESIDENTS (4), TREASURER (1), and AUDITORS (2), as only the requisite number of candidates have been nominated.
W. M. FAIRLAND, Secretary.
8th February, 1902.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.—The offices of RUSSELL and RUSSELL, Solicitors, have been REMOVED to No. 52-54 George-street, opposite The Strand.

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Sydney, 7th February, 1902.
THE Committee of the 2nd Contingent Citizens' Bushmen and A Battery R.A.A. returned soldiers desire to inform the members and the general public that proceedings have been initiated to recover from the Government, by means of a Supreme Court action, the amount of Imperial Pay deducted from the sum contracted for by General Order (12-99, published in the "Government Gazette," 25th October, 1899). As this procedure will involve the committee in some considerable expense, they trust that everyone concerned will assist in raising the amount required. With this view it has been decided to open a SHILLING SUBSCRIPTION LIST, to which it is hoped that the public will generously respond. All subscriptions sent to the above address will be acknowledged through the columns of the daily papers.
Subscriptions to date.—Lists: Mr. Hodges 8s, Hunt 22s, W. Knight 107s 6d, Jones 37s, Locke 10s, Hannay 5s; Matthews 13s 6d, Hodge 28s 6d, ditto 4s. Per Mr. J. Howarth: Waverley Brewery 21s, "Cape Town" 20s, "Dubbo" 10s, "Pretoria" 21s, Wilson 8s, Fleming 10s, T. Carroll 10s 6d, Friend 1s, J. E. Maher, 1st Contingent, 10s, Wallace Brothers 5s. JOHN HOWARTH, Chairman.

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Legal Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHN PATON, late of Back Creek, near Cowra, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the First Accounts and Plan of Distribution in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Phillip-street, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the seventh day of April, 1902, at 10.45 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said Accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this third day of February, in the year 1902. T. W. GARRETT, Registrar.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JAMES WALKER, late of Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Commercial Broker, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me, at my said office, on or before the third day of April, at 11.15 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto, otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this third day of February, in the year 1902. T. W. GARRETT, Registrar. A. W. E. WEAVER, Proctor for the Executor, 16 O'Connell-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ROBERT ATWELL, late of Eucharena, near Molong, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Letters of Administration (with the Will annexed) of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to MARGARET CAROLINE SLOANE, the wife of OLIVER WILLIAM SLOANE, of Eucharena aforesaid, labourer, the sole Devisee in the said Will named, CHARLES TOM, the Executor named in the said Will having renounced Probate thereof. And all the creditors of the said deceased are required to send in notice of their claims to the said applicant, at the address of the undersigned, within such fourteen days. And all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. HARVEY RYVES JAGO HOLT, Proctor for the Applicant, Molong. By his agents, A'BECKETT and HORROCKS, Wentworth-court, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ABRAHAM WOOD, late of Timpot, near Grenfell, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased, Intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, with power to sell and dispose of or lease the real estate of the said Intestate, may be granted to SARAH ANN FOX WOOD, of Timpot, near Grenfell, the Widow of the said deceased; and all Notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. All persons having any claims against the Estate of the said deceased are required to immediately furnish particulars thereof to the undersigned. FREDERICK CROMMELIN, Proctor, Main-street, Grenfell. By his Agent, GEORGE CROAKER, 35 Bligh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JAREZ HARRIMAN, late of Wilson's Downfall, in the State of New South Wales, Miner, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to EMMA HARRIMAN, the Executrix named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. JOHN BUCHANAN, Proctor for Applicant, No. 2 United-chambers, 2 Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JOHANN GOTTLIEB SCHEUNER, late of Pleasant Hills, near Henty, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WILHELM KOTZUR, of Pleasant Hills Farmer, and AUGUST PUMPA, of Pleasant Hills, Farmer, the Executors named in the said Will; and all Notices may be served at the address of the undersigned. JOHN WILKINSON, Proctor, Dean-street, Albury. By his agents, A'BECKETT and HORROCKS, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of SARAH BROWN, late of Wilberforce, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to PHOEBE CATHERINE BROWN, of Wilberforce aforesaid, Sole Executrix named in the said Will; and all Notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned. WM. WALKER and SON, Proctors for the Executrix, George-street, Windsor. By their Agent, CHARLES A. WALKER, 92 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of PATRICK FOLEY, late of Solwalls Creek, near Millthorpe, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JACOB RUSSERT, of Blayney, Hotelkeeper, the sole Executor named in the said Will; and all Notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned. GEORGE PILE, Proctor for the Executor, Blayney. By his Agent, A. W. E. WEAVER, 16 O'Connell-street, Sydney.

ESTATE OF MARIA STOCKDALE, Deceased.—Any Persons having claims against the Estate of MARIA STOCKDALE, late of Rocky Point-road, Kogarah, in the State of N.S.W., Widow, are hereby required to send particulars of such claims to the undersigned within fourteen days from the publication hereof.
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Fine level BLOCK, 131 x 84¼, lane at rear.
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A WELL estab. Business for Sale, gd. country connec., 7 persn. boarders, well furn. 254 Elizabeth-st.

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HAIRDRESSING and Tobac., close city, low price, owner leaving. Home Rule Tobacco Co., 658 Geo.-st.

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HAM, Beef, Confectionery, double shop, large dwelling, rent clear by letting, no reasonable offer refused, on account of sickness, immediate. 454 Elizabeth-street.

A SNUG Grocery Business for SALE, £24, or fair offer. 15, cr. Milton and Brett sts., off Devonshire-st.

LAUNDRY, taking £9 p. week, bargain, £60. 60 Randle-terrace, Enmore-rd.

GENTEEL Business, excellent home, rent free, suit country people, 1d fare. Grounds, Haymarket P.O.

A NICE little country Drapery Store, with good dressmaking connection, easily managed, only 40 miles out, same hands 5 years. Apply after 7. W. HARRIS, 9 L'Avenue, Newtown.

BOARDING-HOUSE, for SALE, 18 rooms, well furnished, splendid country connection, books and letters to show, centre city, owner leaving colony, will sell cheap. Norfolk House, 15 Jamieson-street.

FRUIT, Conf., S. Drinks, Cig., Toys, &c., show cases, g. busi. st., cheap rent. 30 Cleveland-st., S. Hills.

GROCER'S SHOP to Let, estab. 50 years; shop, store, dwelling, stabling; situated Oxford-street, Paddington. Renovated top to bottom. BOURKE, Agent, 9 Glenmore-road.

HOTEL, Balmain, splendid position, must sell to-day, £200, takings £40 week. Naish and Co., 9 Hunter-st.

SNUG, compact Business, worth every penny, bargain, £30. Roberts and Larcombe, 105 Pitt-st.

FOR SALE, a good paying GENERAL STORE, on the Mountains, satisfactory reason for selling. Address A. B., c.o MYERS and SOLOMON, 42 Market-street. Principals only.

LAUNDRY, well established, best sub., full prices, large returns, including utensils, furniture, &c., nice premises, must sacrifice, £60. HUGH DUFF and CO., 283 George-street.

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GENERAL STORE, situated North Shore line, stock about £400, trade about £65 wk., will stand every investigation. T. M. HALL and CO., 20 York-street.

SMALL Business, suit lady or gent., val. stock, ftgs., &c. rent 8s, the lot £20. Lee and Co., 114A Pitt-st.

CONFECTIONERY, £12, Dks., &c., A1 stand, shop, d.fd., stock, ftgs., sacrifice, £12. Lee, 114A Pitt-st.

SPLENDID Coachbuilding and Blacksmith's Business for SALE. Particulars from Presto, Haymarket P.O.

BREWERY for Sale, bargain, in good country district, engine, plant, 3 hhds. Apply Vendor, Herald.

FOR SALE, Bakery BUSINESS on South Coast, about 2300 wk., bread 5d. Brunton and Co., 180 Clarence-st.

SNUG Confectionery, Fancy Bus., 6 rooms, good stock, rent 15s, retiring thro. illness. Woollahra, Herald.

POULTRY Farm, Gen. Store, Refresh., Tob., &c., good [illegible] main road, near Syd. Advance, Herald, King-st.

SOUND BUSINESS for SALE, £5 wk. guar., could be doubled, only £65. Roberts and Larcombe, 105 Pitt-st.

PROFITABLE BUSINESS, only £40, this is worth inspection. [illegible] Roberts and Larcombe, 105 Pitt-st.

MOUNTAIN [illegible] close to station. [illegible]

WANTED to Buy, good Fruit and Confectionery BUSINESS, with land; no agents. E.P., [illegible] Oxford-street.

WANTED to Purchase, in country, good clean STATIONERY and FANCY, with paper run; stock up to £100. Full particulars to Stationery, Goulburn P.O.

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MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For Sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

WANTED, Conf., Fruit, or Grocery, must stand inquiry, city or sub. E. F., P.O., Oxford-st., D'hurst.

WANTED to Purchase, BUSINESS, suitable for lady, town or country. Address Genuine, P.O., William-st.

WANTED, paying Restaurant, no duffers, no agents. Full particulars to Immediate, Herald.

WANTED, HOTEL, city or suburbs, good proof trade, £300 to £600. Hotel, Herald, King-st.

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FOR PRIVATE SALE, Gors and Kallman PIANO, cost 80 guineas, will take 40 guineas cash. Apply by letter, S. R. J., Herald Office.

RUSSELL BROS. for high-class PIANOS from £35, are 65 gns. elsewhere. Visit 44 Market-st.

PIANOS from £18, at Russell's, 44 Market-st.—Cheapest, most reliable firm in Sydney.

SHOWMEN'S Organs from £20, Brass Band Organs, bargains. Inspect at Russell's, 44 Market-st.

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AMERICAN ORGAN, £15 cash, 22 stops, handsome pipe top, good tone. Naylor, 94 Q. V. Mkts., 1st flr.

FOR SALE, First-class ORGAN (Estey), 11 stops, cheap. Hyam Hains, 243 Pitt-st., city.

FOR SALE, Collapsible Harmoniumette, in good order, suit street musician or picnics, cheap. Hyam Hains.

FOR SALE, gd. Fahr Piano, 12 mths.' use, owner leav. for Eng., price £38. Call inspect, 77 Vict.-st., D'hurst.

MAGNIFICENT 80-guinea PIANO, sacrificed by lady wanting money for £30. 148 Pyrmont-st., Pyrmont.

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WANTED to Buy, second-hand PIANO in good repair. State maker's name, Piano, Herald Branch.

WANTED Charge of Piano, during owner's absence, no children, unexcept. refs. B. Y., Herald, King-st.

WANTED, second-hand PIANO, good maker and good condition, cheap. D. G., Herald Office, King-st.

Auction Sales

CAMPERDOWN SALEYARDS.
TUESDAY, 11th FEBRUARY, 1902, at 2.30 p.m.
60 HEAD HORSES. 60

HILL CLARK and CO. are instructed to sell by auction as above, on account of Mr. R. HENESS, Bonna Bonna,
30 Head of superior Colts and Fillies of the well-known 3HE brand, to which the special attention of Cabmen, Vanmen and 'Busmen and Exporters is directed. The 3HE brand is well and favourably known in this market, and the present draft is advised as a specially good lot.
On account of Mr. R. SCOTNEY, and from the same place;
30 Head of superior and useful Horses, mostly broken in, and comprising medium and active draughts, good van sorts, and several superior saddle horses.

CAMPERDOWN SALEYARDS.
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1902.
10 HEAD HIGH-CLASS HORSES.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Limited, will sell by auction as above on FRIDAY NEXT, 14th instant, at 2.30 p.m. sharp, account Northern Agents, 10 head high-class horses.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Newtown Station, THIS DAY, at 7 o'clock, Wood, &c.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 8 o'clock, Wood, &c.

DENT and PERRY will sell by auction, at Redfern Station, THIS DAY, at 9.15, Hay, Straw, Chaff, Maize, Pumpkins, Potatoes. DENT and PERRY, Auctioneers, 151 Sussex-street.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, at 11 O'CLOCK.
To Wholesale Merchants, Bootsellers, Painters, Dealers and others.
IMPORTANT SALE of DAY and MARTIN'S BLACKING and CREAMS; 1 ton CHAMPION WHITE LEAD; 1 Case 30,000 CIGARETTES; 3 Cases MATCHES.
Under instructions from the Bank.
30 Cases E. & Co. over S. in diamond, now lying in Walker's Stores, Dawes Point, end of Milton-terrace.
1 Case Containing 10 dozen Stump Cream, patent tops
1 " " 12 dozen Eclipse Gloss
1 " " 15 dozen Nubian Blacking
1 " " 10 dozen Stump Cream
1 " " 28 dozen small Ivorine
1 " " 12 dozen Nubian Blacking
1 " " 28 dozen small Ivorine
1 " " 24 dozen large Cream
1 " " 17 dozen small Ivorine
1 " " 38 dozen small Ivorine
1 " " 26 dozen large Ivorine
1 " " 24 dozen large Ivorine
1 " " 8 dozen mixed Ivorine and Nubian
1 " " 10 dozen Stump Cream
1 " " 8 dozen Bronze Dressing
1 " " 12 dozen Stump Cream
1 " " 10 dozen Stump Cream
1 " " 12 dozen Stump Cream
1 " " 12 dozen large Ivorine
1 " " 12 dozen large Ivorine
1 " " 11 dozen small and 13 dozen large Ivorine
1 " " 12 dozen Eclipse Gloss
1 " " 24 dozen Nubian Blacking
1 " " 12 dozen Eclipse Gloss
1 " " 36 dozen small Ivorine
1 " " 20 dozen large Ivorine
1 " " 45 dozen large Ivorine
1 " " 12 dozen Eclipse Gloss
1 " " 21 dozen large Cream
1 " " 23 dozen large Ivorine
Also 1 ton Champion White Lead in 28lb. kegs; 3 Cases Matches; (In Bond) 1 case Cigarettes, 30,000.

H. J. LEVY, under instructions from the Bank, will sell by Auction at Walker's Stores, Dawes Point, end of Milton-terrace, the above goods in first-class order. Totally unreserved. Terms net cash. N.B.—Auctioneer's office, 185 REGENT-STREET, City. Tel., 19 Glebe, where samples can be seen by intending purchasers.

THIS AFTERNOON, Vaucluse Land Sale. Free tickets for steamer. Richardson and Wrench, Ltd.

MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For Sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

ST. MARYS.
RAILWAY CATTLE SALEYARDS (next to Railway Station).
158 STORE, DAIRY, and FAT CATTLE. 158
THIS DAY, SATURDAY, FEB. 8th, at 1 o'clock sharp.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at the above Yards, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, at 1 o'clock sharp,
158 Head superior STORE, DAIRY, and FAT CATTLE, comprising:—
30 good forward Springing Cows and Heifers, close to calving.
40 good Store Cows
50 young Cattle, consisting of Heifers and Steers, from 1 to 2 years old, the former being described as very superior, and are from choice cows.
30 prime paddock-fed Fat Cattle.
8 first-class Working Bullocks, all fat.
Also, on account Mr. W. SMITH, LINDEN.
2 first-class Draught Horses, stanch workers, 2 Tipdrays, and Harness.
. St. Marys is only one hour's journey from Sydney by rail. Train leaves Sydney on morning of sale at 10.15 o'clock, returning at 3.42 p.m. and 6.47 p.m.
Cattle purchased and to be sent by rail will be carefully paddocked and trucked to suit buyers' convenience. Competent drovers can be had on the ground.

SUPERIOR HOODED BUGGY AND HARNESS.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. J. Rowe to sell by auction at their Bazaar, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, at 11.30 a.m., A very superior colonial built Buggy, tray pattern, with leather hood and trimmings, cost £70, made to order; and first-class set of Harness, both in good condition, being sold on account of the owner leaving for Europe.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN SALE YARDS.
TUESDAY NEXT, AT 2.30 P.M.
25 SUPERIOR FRESH COUNTRY HORSES. 25
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction as above, on account Mr. JAMES DEVITT, Brownlow Hill, Camden,
25 Upstanding light Harness and Saddle Horses, principally broken, in good condition, suitable for general harness and hackney work.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN SALE YARDS.
WEDNESDAY NEXT, AT 2.30 P.M.
40 FIRST-CLASS HORSES, 40
comprising good quality light Horses and a few Draughts.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction as above,
On account Mr. JNO. FRATLEY, Bathurst.
30 Upstanding good quality light Horses, 4 to 6 years old, showing any amount of strength and substance.
. These are described as a good stylish lot of horses, in splendid condition, suitable for BUGGY, CAB, CARRIAGE, and INDIAN REMOUNT WORK.
On account of Mr. ROBT. JAMES, Rydal.
10 superior Horses, comprising very useful sorts of light harness and saddle horses and a few specially good draughts, principally broken.

HORSES. HORSES, HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN SALE YADS.
FRIDAY NEXT, AT 2.30 P.M.
FIFTY HEAD.
WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction as above,
On account of Mr. W. W. Johnson, Wallerend.
20 heavy and medium draught Colts and Fillies, 4 years old, in grand condition, worthy the special attention of HEAVY CARRIERS, DRAY PROPRIETORS, SHIPPERS, and Others.
On account CAMDEN PARK ESTATE, Menangle.
10 High-class LIGHT HORSES (all by the well-known sire STOCKDALE), about half the number colts and fillies, unbroken; the balance broken to saddle and harness; among the number being a FIRST-CLASS CARRIAGE GELDING, thoroughly broken to s., s. and d. harness.
On account Messrs. BRENNAN and HUGHES, Gingkin.
10 superior fresh country Horses, consisting of active draughts, useful harness horses, and hackneys, and two or three Ponies, mostly all broken, ready for use.
On account of Mr. J. J. BROWN, Narrabri.
10 fresh country Horses.
Particulars not yet to hand.

WEDNESDAY, 19th FEBRUARY, at 11 a.m.
IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT to LADIES AND GENTLEMEN REQUIRING HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE.
ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE by Public Auction at CLAVERING-TERRACE, PRINCES-STREET, DAWES POINT, the late residence of THE LATE MRS. THOMAS CLAYDON, by order of the EXECUTOR IN THE ESTATE, comprising the WELL-FURNISHED and ELABORATE contents of a Gentleman's TEN-ROOMED RESIDENCE of BEST ENGLISH MANUFACTURE.
Full particulars of this important Sale will duly be published.

WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Executor in the Estate of the late Mrs. Thomas Claydon to conduct the above important Sale at No. 1 CLAVERING-TERRACE, PRINCES-STREET, DAWES POINT, on WEDNESDAY, 19th FEBRUARY, at 11 a.m.
TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.

TO THE DRAPERY, CLOTHING, AND CUTLERY TRADES, HAWKERS, DEALERS, &c.
IN OUR ROOMS, 7 WYNYARD-STREET.
WEDNESDAY NEXT, FEB. 12th, at 11.
Ex Saint Dunstan, by order of the Shippers.
General Drapery, Clothing, Hosiery, Haberdashery, Gloves, Corsets, Underclothing.
Also Metal and Nickel Tea, Table, and Dessert Spoons and Forks in Wallace and Whitehouse's; also Table and Dessert Cutlery in Moseley's, Fenton's, and Greenwell's; Glaziers' Tools, R. G. Gilt, Nickel, and Engraved Watches, &c.
M. GOULSTON AND CO. (late Jas. Rodd and Co.) will sell as above.

ENMORE.
TUESDAY, 11th FEBRUARY, at 11 O'CLOCK.
UNRESERVED SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, at LISGAR, 40 MARION-STREET.
COTTAGE PIANO, by Ancher Freres.
Drawing and Dining Room SUITES, HALLSTAND.
EBONY OCC. TABLE, WRITING DESK.
Black and Gold OVERMANTEL, SIDEBOARD (with cellarette), MARBLE CLOCK, PICTURES.
WRITING DESK, OILCLOTH.
Double and 2 BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES, CHEST of DRAWERS, Refrigerator, Kitchen Utensils, Garden Tools, Garden Seats, &c., &c.
HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at LISGAR, 40 MARION-STREET, ENMORE, on TUESDAY, 11th February, at 11 a.m., as above.
INSPECTION on MORNING OF SALE.

AUCTIONEER'S SPECIAL NOTICE.
JAMES COWAN, MACHINERY and BUILDING MATERIAL AUCTIONEER and VALUATOR, 236 Pitt-street, wishes to notify to his numerous clients the following AUCTION SALES.

E. R.
BY ORDER OF THE HON. E. W. O'SULLIVAN, Minister for Works.
A HIGHLY IMPORTANT UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE at the UNIVERSITY PREMISES, On FRIDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 14, at 11 o'clock sharp.
SURPLUS BUILDING MATERIALS, comprising HARDWOOD and OREGON TIMBERS of all dimensions.
LARGE ASSORTMENT of JOINERS' WORK and FITTINGS.
2000 BLUE GRANITE CUBES, SLATES, WATER and GAS PIPING.
Large quantity of SCRAP, CAST, and WROUGHT IRON, and FANCY IRONWORK.
STOVES, GRATES, and numerous SUNDRIES, STEEL FLAGSTAFF.

ON THURSDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 13, at 11 o'clock, On the premises, adjoining GAS COMPANY'S PREMISES, 447 PITT-STREET,
A Large Assortment of HARDWARE GOODS, comprising SHOVELS, AXES, COPPER BOILERS, PULLIES, 2 MATHESON'S MORTICE MACHINES, JOINER'S JOBBING CIRCULAR IRON SAW BENCH, Portable FORGES, Circular Bellows, TINSMITH'S ROLLS, Curving Machine, &c., &c.
Also, at an early date, AUCTION SALE of 150 TONS CAST and WROUGHT IRON SCRAP.
WITHOUT RESERVE.

THIS DAY, at 3 p.m.,
At the NEWTOWN MARKETS, Newtown.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
Dining and Drawing-room SUITES, Overmantels, Beaconsfield Wardrobes, Toilet Pairs, Chests of Drawers, Brass Mtd. Bedsteads, Cots, Austrian Furniture, Sideboards, Comb. Chests, Dressers, Cane Chairs, Couches, Dressers, Tables, Carpet Squares, Oilcloths, Pictures, Crockery, Ornaments, Glassware, and Kitchen Utensils. Set of Beam Scales and Weights.
EVANS and CO. have received instructions to sell as above. NO RESERVE.

IN BANKRUPTCY. Estate RICHARD ELSWORTHY PYM, of 47 Windsor-street, Paddington, Grocer.
FRIDAY, February 14, at 10 a.m.
At 47 Windsor-street, Paddington.
By order of the Official Assignee.
GROCERIES.
C. F. W. LLOYD, Auctioneer.

TUESDAY, 11th FEBRUARY, 1902, at 11 A.M.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION, AT THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET, Under instructions from the importers.
72 doz. MILLET BROOMS
20 doz. HAIR BROOMS
12 Cases CLAY PIPES
8 Cases TOOTH POWDER
10 Cases BLUE in 5lb. packets
28 Chests CHINA TEA
40 Cases JAMS
68 Boxes VALENCIA RAISINS
63 Cases ALASKA SALMON
20 Sacks BARCELONAS
17 Cases SHEEPS' TONGUES
20 Cases RHINE WINES
100 Sets SHOE BRUSHES
3 Cases COUNTER TWINES
1 Case DRESS FASTENERS.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY, late HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY, will sell the above at THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 11th FEBRUARY, at 11 a.m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11th, 1902, at 2.30 p.m.
FOR ABSOLUTE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, AT THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET.
SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE, consisting of Cedar and Pine BEDROOM SUITES, Cedar and Pine CHESTS OF DRAWERS, Cedar and Pine BEACONSFIELD WARDROBES, PAIRS OF TOILETS, DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, DINING-ROOM SUITES, SIDEBOARDS, DINNER WAGGONS, BOOKCASES, ROLLER-TOP DESKS, SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, DINING TABLES, KITCHEN TABLES, KITCHEN SAFES, KITCHEN DRESSERS, &c., &c., &c.
S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY, late HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY, Auctioneers and Valuators, 199 Pitt-street.

CUSTOMS OVERTIME SALE.
THURSDAY, 20th FEBRUARY, 1902, at 11 a.m.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION, AT THE KING'S WAREHOUSE, under instructions from THE COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS.
ALL OVERTIME GOODS, in various Bonds (of which due notice has been given), unless exported, duty paid, or re-warehoused before day of sale.
Also, SEIZURES, comprising CIGARS, OPIUM, TOBACCO, CIGARETTES, &c., and a quantity of SAMPLE BOTTLES OF SPIRITS, &c.
S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY, late HENRY HARRIS AND COMPANY, have been favoured with instructions from the COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS to conduct the SALE OF OVERTIME GOODS, SEIZURES, &c., at the KING'S WAREHOUSE, on THURSDAY, 20th FEBRUARY, at 11 a.m.
CATALOGUES IN COURSE OF PREPARATION.

TO THE FURNITURE TRADE, DEALERS, and Others.
At the Rooms, 12 Barrack-street.
ON TUESDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 11, at 11 o'clock sharp.
On account of those concerned.
Just landed in good order. Ex S.S. Airlie.
40 Packages Bleached CANE and RATTAN FURNITURE in COUCHES, LOUNGES, ARMCHAIRS, DRAWING-ROOM and OCCASIONAL CHAIRS, VERANDAH CHAIRS, CHILDREN'S CHAIRS.
75 WALNUT OVERMANTELS, bevelled plates, new designs.
50 Bales JAPANESE BLINDS, various sizes.
6 Crates PRINTED TOILET SETS, 6's.
Also, on account of those concerned, with all faults, Damaged by water.
2 Cases HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, 6ft. 6in. x 3ft. 6in.
A. TRAVERSI AND CO. will sell, as above, at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on TUESDAY Next February 11, at 11 o'clock sharp.

TO THE IRONMONGERY TRADE, FANCY GOODS BUYERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.
ON ACCOUNT OF THOSE CONCERNED.
AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET, On WEDNESDAY NEXT, February 12, at 11 o'clock sharp.
Fancy Goods, Baskets, Note and Receipt Books, Corkscrews, Combs, School Bags, Trunks, Brooches, Links, Studs, Copy Books, Brushware, Pipes, Razors, Combs, Pickle Forks, Pocket Books, Tin Openers, Thermometers, Table and Dessert Knives, Carvers, Spirit Bottles, Playing Cards, H.M. Silver-mounted Pipes.
Also, UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE IMPORTERS.
1 Case MOSELEY'S CUTLERY, TABLE and DESSERT KNIVES, 78 CARVERS and STEELS.
6 FIREPROOF IRON SAFES, 24, 30, 36, 48 in.
25 Cases FANCY SOAPS.
1 Case ROLLED GOLD JEWELLERY, in Chains, Necklets, Brooches, Sleeve Links, &c.
A. TRAVERSI AND CO. will sell as above at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, Feb. 12, at 11 o'clock sharp.

AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET, ON THURSDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 13, at 11 o'clock sharp.
On Account of Those Concerned. With All Faults, if any.
Ex S.S. AUSTRALASIAN.
1 CASE, containing 6 Pieces CLOTH, 240 yards; 5 Pieces SILK, 350 yards.
Also, GENERAL DRAPERY, CLOTHING, &c., comprising Gent.'s Ties and Scarves, White Shirts, Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, Millinery, Ornaments, Flowers, Braid, Calicoes, Sheetings, Silesias, Prints, Flannels, Flannelettes, Women's and Children's Hosiery, Corsets, Underclothing, Ribbons, Laces, Silks, Velvets, Haberdashery, Trimmed Hats, Millinery, &c., &c.
A. TRAVERSI AND CO. will sell as above, at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, on THURSDAY Next, Feb. 13, at 11 o'clock sharp.

DALWOOD AND CO., LTD., AUCTIONEERS and VALUATORS, 113 to 117 BATHURST-STREET.
AUCTION SALES of GROCERY, DRAPERY, and GENERAL MERCHANDISE conducted with economy and success at Business Premises or removed to the Rooms.
SALES of FURNITURE at the Residences.
FURNITURE, PIANOS, and General GOODS received for Auction Sale Without Reserve, or may be sold privately in our Commission Rooms, where reasonable reserves are taken.
CASH ADVANCED against all Goods for Unreserved Sale.
ACCOUNT SALES RENDERED PROMPTLY.

TO COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS, Dealers, and Others.
Most Important CLEARANCE SALE now on at NATHAN HERMANN'S, 10 York-street, and will be continued daily (Saturdays excepted) from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and UNTIL the 28th of FEBRUARY INCLUSIVE.
£5000 GENERAL MERCHANDISE for Absolute Slaughter, and regardless of their cost.
Comprising MEN'S, BOYS', and YOUTHS' Tailor-made CLOTHING, Hats, Shirts, Ties, Braces, Collars, Under Shirts and Pants, Hosiery, Calicoes, Sheetings, Flannels, Blankets, Dress Materials, Flannelettes, Quilts, Pillow Slips, Sheets, Table Cloths, Hair and Cloth Brushes, Perfumed Soaps, Moseley's Very Superior Table Cutlery, E.P. Carvers and Fish Carvers, Fish and Fruit Electroplated Sets; Silver, Metal, and Roll Gold Watches; Carpets and Carpet Squares, and thousands of lines too numerous to particularise.
Also 25 new and second-hand Iron Safes, by Tann, Milner, and other noted makers.
Everything marked in plain figures, and can be purchased in lines to suit large or small buyers. A chance of a lifetime.
NATHAN HERMAN will conduct Private Sales at his Warehouse, 10 York-street, 2 doors from Barrack-street, on MONDAY NEXT, and continue daily from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Wednesday included and Saturday excepted. Terms at Sales.

MONSTER SALE of FIRST-CLASS BUILDING MATERIAL.
Demolition of extensive City Premises situate in CASTLEREAGH-STREET, between Market and Park streets.
UNRESERVED SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11th, at 11 O'CLOCK, including
40,000 Bricks, full size, a grand lot, equal to new
2000 Bangor Slates, 24 x 12, first-class quality
4500ft. Hardwood Joists, 6 x 2½, Rafters 4 x 2½, 4 x 3
1000ft. Battens, 16 Modern Panel Doors
Box Frames, Sashes, and Weights complete
6 Register Grates and Mantels, Eureka Gas Stove
2 Fuel Stoves, 2 Copper Boilers and Furnaces, complete
100 Sheets Galv. Iron, Architraves, Skirtings
Mouldings, Staircases, 2000ft. beautiful Flooring
W.C. Cisterns and Pans complete, Baths and Showers, and host of Sundries.
BARNETT AND CO. have received instructions from Mr. Bell to sell as above, WITHOUT RESERVE.

NORTH SYDNEY.—THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13th, 1902, at 11 o'clock. Auction Sale, on the premises, Thuringen, corner of Alfred and Willoughby streets, North Sydney. Owner leaving for Europe. Household Furniture and Effects, comprising Dining-room Furniture, Ex. Dining Table, Pierglass, Oak Writing Table, Marble Clock, Bedroom Furniture, Wardrobes, Combination Chests Drawers, Washstands and Ware, Bedsteads and Bedding, Carpets, Linoleums, Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, China and Glassware, Hall Stand, Lawn Mower, Garden Hose, Oil Paintings, Water Colours, Etchings, Engravings. Absolutely Without Reserve. CLARKE and SOLOMONS, Auctioneers.

WOOL SALES.

HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN (LIMITED), WOOL BROKERS. SYDNEY.
SALE DAYS: FEBRUARY 5. FEBRUARY 12.

LAWSON, CARO, AND CO., Limited, AUCTION ROOMS, 128, 130 PITT-STREET (near King street).
THESE COMMODIOUS and CENTRAL ROOMS are always open for the reception of FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, PIANOS, PLATE, PICTURES, OBJETS D'ART, BOOKS, &c., &c.
Also MERCHANDISE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION FOR AUCTION SALE or FOR STORAGE.
LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES MADE, and ACCOUNT SALES rendered immediately after sale.
VALUATIONS MADE FOR PROBATE, &c. INVENTORIES CAREFULLY PREPARED.
MR. JAMES R. LAWSON, as hitherto, will PERSONALLY conduct all Auction Sales, and will give special attention to SALES by AUCTION at PRIVATE RESIDENCES.

BONDI.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, at the Villa Residence, DOONGALLA, OCEAN-STREET, BONDI, on THURSDAY NEXT, 13th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock a.m., under instructions from E. ELLIS, Esq., in consequence of his relinquishing house-keeping.
The whole of his VALUABLE MODERN FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS, including BRUSSELS CARPETS, best manufacture, Finest Quality LINOLEUM, COSTLY WINDOW DRAPERIES, TWO LARGE ANGORA WOOL RUGS.
HANDSOME DINING-ROOM FURNITURE, including Walnut OVERMANTEL, Solid Cedar Extension Dining TABLE, 5ft. SIDEBOARD, Superior Austrian FURNITURE.
SUPERB DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, Solid Walnut Frames, and Beautifully Upholstered in Rich Genoa and Plush.
Magnificent Full Upright Grand PIANOFORTE, by UEBEL and LECHLEITER, in very handsome walnut and gold case, specially imported through Messrs. W. H. Paling and Co.
This Instrument cannot be too highly recommended. It is equal to new, having been purchased within the last 12 months at a cost of NINETY GUINEAS.
OIL PAINTINGS and CHOICE ORNAMENTS.
CEDAR HALL SUITE.
SEVERAL WELL-APPOINTED BEDROOMS, including DOUBLE and SINGLE BEDSTEADS and Superior BEDDING.
Handsome WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE, consisting of 4ft. Wardrobe, Pair 4ft. Toilets, enclosed Pedestal Cupboard, Towelrail, and 2 Chairs.
SINGER'S LATEST IMPROVED SEWING MACHINE (central bobbing), with all fittings complete, in excellent order, nearly new.
The FURNISHINGS of BREAKFAST-ROOM, KITCHEN, and LAUNDRY. TURK'S PATENT REFRIGERATOR.
Also, LARGE SQUARE TENT with Fly, size 12ft., 8ft. high, &c., &c., &c.
On VIEW WEDNESDAY, 12th February, from 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and on Morning of Sale.
JAMES R. LAWSON, AUCTIONEER, LAWSON, CARO, and CO., Limited, has been favoured with instructions from E. ELLIS, Esq., to conduct the highly important Sale by Auction at his Residence as above.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
DARLING POINT.
HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION, to be held ON EARLY DATES IN FEBRUARY.
Under instructions from THE EXECUTORS IN THE ESTATE of the late HONBLE. HENRY MORT, M.L.C.
The whole of the SUPERB MODERN FURNITURE and the VERY BEAUTIFUL AND COSTLY APPOINTMENTS of THE MANSION, MT. ADELAIDE, DARLING POINT.
THE MAGNIFICENT FURNITURE at MOUNT ADELAIDE was designed and specially manufactured to the late Mr. HENRY MORT'S order in London by THE FIRST FIRMS, and embraces many Suites and Important pieces of grand appearance and high artistic merit.
THE DATES of SALE and detailed particulars of the Important and Very Valuable effects at MOUNT ADELAIDE will appear in Later Advertisements, and DESCRIPTIVE BOOK CATALOGUES will be issued in due course.
THE AUCTIONEERS will forward CATALOGUES per post, and recommend Early Application.
JAMES R. LAWSON, Auctioneer, LAWSON, CARO, and CO., Ltd., has been favoured with instructions from the Executors in the Estate of THE LATE HON. HENRY MORT, M.L.C., to conduct the Highly Important Sale by Auction as above, at THE MANSION, MT. ADELAIDE, DARLING POINT.

IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
DARLING POINT.
HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION.
Under instructions from G. M. MERIVALE, Esq., in consequence of his projected departure for Europe.
At his Residence, ANNERY, DARLING POINT.
On TUESDAY, 11th MARCH.
The whole of his VERY HANDSOME MODERN FURNITURE, RECHERCHE and COSTLY APPOINTMENTS.
FULL PARTICULARS of which will be advertised on later dates and Catalogues be duly prepared.
JAMES R. LAWSON, AUCTIONEER, LAWSON, CARO, and CO., Ltd., has been favoured with instructions from G. M. MERIVALE, Esq., to conduct the Highly Important Sale by Auction at his Residence, as above.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by public auction, at his Rooms, 247A Pitt-street, on MONDAY and TUESDAY, 17th and 18th February, 1902, The UNREDEEMED PLEDGES, pledged with the late George Scott, also those pledged with Mr. William Scott, of 286 Castlereagh-street, Sydney, on the undermentioned dates:—
May—1901—9th, gold cable bracelet; 10th fine gold chain; 13th, gold locket, pr. gold earrings and brooch, silver h Eng lever watch 214907, gold chain; 14th, gold locket; 15th, gold locket; 17th, gold h k geneva watch 108854; 18th, 2 gold rings, gold dress ring, gold buckle ring, gold w ring, gold nugget pin, diamond horseshoe ring, gold brooch and pin, gold specimen, gold albert and trinket; 20th, fine gilt watch; 21st, silver h Eng lever watch 5403854, silver h American watch 165874, gold cable bracelet. June—3rd, silver h Eng. lever watch 34584, and metal chain; 6th, gold stone ring; 7th, gold brooch and thimble; 7th, rolled gold albert and greenstone, gold stone brooch; 10th silver h Waltham watch 7527307, silver h k chronograph watch 8067; 13th, gold h k geneva watch 34982, gold band ring "D.F."; 20th, gold cable bracelet, silver h Eng. lever watch 54645, gold dress ring; 21st, lady's h k geneva watch 70400; 28th, silver Eng. lever watch 3098; 29th, lady's gold h k watch 176244. July—2nd, gold dress ring, silver h k Waltham watch 7266514, gold chain and trinket, mounted half sovereign; 4th, gold w ring; 5th, silver albert and trinket; 8th, gold w ring; 9th, long gold muff chain; 10th, gold w ring, gold fob chain; 12th fine silver h geneva watch 60862, and wet gold bracelet; 15th, gold buckle ring; 17th, silver h Waltham watch 1010141, "W. T. Russell"; silver h Waltham watch 649038; 19th, gold w ring; 22nd, silver h Eng. lever watch 12294, gold fancy bangle; 26th gold h k geneva watch 64818; 27th, gold w ring, silver h Waltham watch 1728806, and silver albert; 30th, silver h k waltham watch 3310650; 31st, gold cable bracelet. August 2nd, macintosh; 3rd, 2 pairs curtains, vest, sheet, and shirt; 10th, 2 remnants serge, 36 pieces of cutlery; 19th, 2 remnants; 20th, crockery and sundries, 2 tins and glassware; 24th, tin box and contents, lady's macintosh, overcoat, sac suit clothes; 26th, serge sac suit clothes, 6 chemises; 28th, macintosh and 2 plated fish knives, gent's macintosh coat; 31st, concert flute, leather case, pair opera glasses, sac suit clothes, suit clothes. September 2nd, sac suit clothes; 3rd, shawl, silk skirt, 3 toilets and frock, coloured macintosh, overcoat; 4th, sac suit clothes; 5th, grey tweed overcoat; 6th, 2 quilts, suit clothes; 9th, coat, trousers, and vest; 10th, black portmanteau, pair tweed trousers and pair men's tan boots, skirt and jacket; 12th, sac suit clothes; 14th, sac suit clothes, overcoat; 18th, brown gladstone bag; 19th, boy's suit clothes, sac suit clothes; 21st, trousers, and vest, boy's suit clothes; 23rd, sac suit clothes, skirt and three frocks; 24th, suit clothes, [illegible]; 30th, 2 pr trousers, vest, and pyjama suit, remnant of lustre, remnant, and lining. October 1st, skirt and jacket, 2 sac suits clothes, leather portmanteau, and hat; 3rd, sac suit clothes; 4th, 2 coats, vest and singlet; 5th, leather bag and coat, carving knife, fork, and steel; 10th, lady's costume, lady's macintosh; 12th, sac suit clothes, skirt and jacket, sac suit clothes; 14th, sac suit clothes; 16th, bedgown, petticoat, chemise, tablecloth, and 9 pieces; 18th, small quilt and chesterfield overcoat; 19th, pr field glasses; 21st, sac suit clothes, waterproof cape, and pr trousers; 25th, Gladstone bag, 3 coats, vest, 3 prs trousers, and boots, lady's macintosh, pr fieldglasses; also pledges for 5s or under and all pledges kept from previous sales.

BY ORDER of the Hon. E. W. O'SULLIVAN (Minister for Works).
PUBLIC AUCTION SALE.
CORNER of KENT and WINDMILL STREETS, CITY.
NEXT FRIDAY, the 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 A.M.
SECOND-HAND BUILDING MATERIAL from 11 Demolished Houses.
Numbered 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, and 35 Windmill-street, comprising Galvanised Iron (all lengths), Ridge Capping and Spouting, about 3 Tons of Lead, Old Iron, Slates, Softwood Partitions, Timber (hardwood), Joists, Rafters, Flooring, &c., Fencing Materials, Panel and Ledge Doors, great quantity of Rubble (stone), &c.
H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, 38 Pitt-street (near Bridge-street), Sydney, will sell, as above, by public auction.

THIS DAY, at 3.30 p.m.
LEAN will sell by auction, Petersham Arcade, 386 Parramatta-road, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, removed to Rooms for conv. of sale. Double and Single Bedstead, Bedding, Sideboard, Couch, Tables, Chairs, Dresser, Crockery, E.-plate, Cutlery, large quantity of Sundries.

THIS AFTERNOON, Vaucluse Land Sale. Free tickets for steamer. Richardson and Wrench, Ltd.

Important to Parties Furnishing and Trade Buyers.
THE BURWOOD SALEROOMS.
THIS (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON, at 3 sharp.
For Unreserved Sale by Public Auction.
PIANOFORTE, AMERICAN ORGAN, BEDROOM, DRAWING, and DINING SUITES, DINING TABLES, Linoleums, Carpets, Bedsteads and Bedding, Dressers, Cutlery, China, Enamelware, Lawn Mower, and useful lots in variety. Without Reserve.
On account of various Owners and Interests.
TERMS, as always, SPOT CASH.
STRONGMAN and WATSON invite a full attendance of buyers as they have instructions to clear many real good lots, worthy attention.

IMPORTANT PRELIMINARY NOTICE. AUCTION SALE at Bankstown, Next Monday, 10th Feb., 2 p.m. For C. J. Robinson, Esq., at Bankside, Liverpool-rd., near Auburn-road, between Upper and Lower Bankstown. Superior Furniture in A1 order, of Dining, Drawing, 3 Bedrooms, and offices Carpet Squares, Dining Table, Fancy and Austrian Chairs, Sideboards, Toilets, Chests Drawers, Valuable Pianoforte, Lipp system; Hearson Incubator, First-class Patent Mangle, Utensils, Tools, Wire Netting, Hand Plough, Buckboard Buggy, Light Spring-cart, Horse, Harness, and other good lots. Inspection at 1 p.m. on MONDAY, or earlier if arranged with Mrs. Robinson. Terms, PROMPT CASH. Every lot delivered same day.
STRONGMAN and WATSON, Auctioneers and Agents, for Owner. Telephone, 200 Burwood.

Highly Important Sale Notice.
To LADIES and GENTLEMEN FURNISHING WELL.
Very Attractive Auction Sale at ROSSCAIRN, FITZROY-STREET, BURWOOD.
ON TUESDAY NEXT, 11th Feb., at 11 a.m.
Under Instructions from W. Bethune, Esq. (who has been removed by Federal Govt. to Federal Custom-house, Melbourne).
THE HANDSOME AND VALUABLE FURNISHINGS AND APPOINTMENTS of the above residence for Sale by Public Auction, Without Reserve, and comprise—
A VALUABLE IRON-FRAMED PIANOFORTE, purchased by Mr. Bethune from Nicholson and Co., and is of exceptional good tone and well preserved.
Splendid Dining and Drawing, also Bedroom and Breakfast-room Appointments.
VERY HANDSOME 5ft. SIDEBOARD.
LEATHER DINING SUITE, in good order.
Superb Walnut Double Bedroom Suite.
SUPERIOR DOUBLE and SINGLE BEDSTEADS and Furnishings throughout of 7 rooms and usual outoffices.
VERY HANDSOME HALL SUITE.
WARDROBES, CHESTS DRAWERS, TOILETS.
LARGE QUANTITY of SHEET and BOOK MUSIC and Books by various authors.
VERY SUPERIOR BOOKCASE, PIER GLASSES.
OVERMANTELS, LACE CURTAINS.
DRAWING-ROOM CABINET, CANTERBURY.
LARGE QUANTITY KITCHEN UTENSILS and General Requisites.
AVIARY SPLENDID SINGING CANARIES.
Blinds and Outside Lots in variety.
Patent Mangle, Mower, &c., &c.
STRONGMAN AND WATSON beg to announce this Specially Attractive Sale for TUESDAY Next, and will Post Catalogues FREE on application.
Auctioneers' Telephone, 200 Burwood.

VERY IMPORTANT SALE, NEXT WEEK, at TELEGRAPH-ROAD, PYMBLE.
By order of TOM J. CASHMORE, Esq., who is leaving for England.
THE FURNISHINGS AND APPOINTMENTS of the Cottage are in splendid order, and specially worthy attention New Arrivals, Young Couples, and others Furnishing and desiring well-kept and tasteful lots.
THE NANON PIANOFORTE was specially selected by Mr. Cashmore at Nicholson's only —years ago, and is of glorious tone and perfect in every way, quite equal to new.
THE HOME SEWING MACHINE is a splendid article, and works beautifully, and Mrs. Cashmore will guarantee it in perfect order.
THE CASHMORE GUN, by the well-known English firm represented by our Client, is guaranteed in first-class order, and should have attention of Sportsmen and Dealers.
THE CARBON GAS STOVE is the best and most-favoured Scotch Stove sent out, and was specially selected by Mrs. Cashmore; is in A1 order, and can be recommended to ladies requiring a first-rate cooker, combined with great economy in use of gas.
FULLER PARTICULARS of this interesting and attractive sale of well-kept Middle-class Household Furnishings and Effects will appear in next Wednesday morning's papers, and also in a DESCRIPTIVE BOOK and CATALOGUE in course of preparation. Orders for these will be booked and posted free to any address on application to the Auctioneers.
MESSRS. STRONGMAN and WATSON, Tel., 200 Burwood.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.
At No. 498 JONES-STREET, ULTIMO.
NEXT FRIDAY, 14th FEB., 11 a.m.
Under instructions from Proprietress.
The whole of the Super. Furniture and Household Appointments, splendid Schumann Pianoforte, will be sold by public auction by MESSRS. STRONGMAN and WATSON, Furniture and Fine Art Auctioneers, Offices at Burwood Station.

PETERSHAM.
To the INHABITANTS of the Western Suburbs, BROKERS, and Others.
MONDAY NEXT, FEB. 10th, at 11 sharp.
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE by Public Auction, On the Premises, 20 BRIGHTON-STREET, near Railway station, Petersham, and only four minutes' walk from Leichhardt tram.
The Handsome and Elaborate FURNISHINGS of an 8-roomed Villa, comprising Extended Drawing-room, Dining, Breakfast, Single and Double Bedrooms, beautifully furnished throughout in up-to-date style, and including
Superb Board PIANOFORTE, in Italian Walnut Case, Check Action, and Over-trung. These celebrated English instruments cannot be surpassed for Durability and richness of tone.
Very Superior Drawing SUITE, upholstered in rich Tapestry and Utrecht Velvet, solid Walnut Frames, one of the grand old English Makes, equal to new.
RATTAN, BAMBOO, and WALNUT OCCASIONAL FURNITURE.
AXMINSTER and BRUSSELS SQUARES, Rich H. RUGS.
Two very massive and finely Decorated O'MANTELS, with numerous large shaped British Plate Mirrors, Bric-a-brac Shelves, Pillars, &c.; one in Solid Oak; the other Black and Gold, with hand-painted Dome, 6 and 7 ft. high.
Walnut O'MANTELS and PIER GLASSES.
Beautiful OIL PAINTINGS and ENGRAVINGS, costly ORNAMENTS.
Two very beautiful Walnut Corner BRACKETS.
Oriental Lace, Guipure, and other CURTAINS.
9-piece American Duck DINING SUITE, with upholstered and button backs, equal to new.
7 x 4 DINING TABLE and Pile Cover.
Dinner and Tea SERVICES, &c.
Very Lofty Mahogany BOOKCASE, with movable Shelves and Shaped Glass Doors, Stationery Drawers, Under-Cupboards, specially made to order, not a blemish.
Latest Improved Singer's Treadle SEWING MACHINE, with Extended Table, Centre and Side Drawers.
Some very fine Brass FENDERS and sets Brasses.
Medium and Heavy LINOLEUMS, planned to rooms.
St Walnut HALLSTAND, Black Marble Top.
Hall LINO., Carpets and Curtains, Mats, &c.
The Bedrooms are well and tastefully furnished, comprising—
A Handsome BEACONSFIELD SUITE, with massive Wardrobe, carved panels, millinery and fancy trays and drawers, under-drawers, and cupboard, and large robing compartment.
PAIR BEAUTIFUL TOILETS, en suite, with pedestal cupboard and m. top; Swing Glass Washstand, and lofty Dressing Table.
MINOR BEDROOM SUITES, in st. walnut, equal to new.
Chests Drawers, Combinations, Toilet Pairs, Toiletware, Easy Chairs, Couches, &c.
Some very nice BRASS-MOUNTED BEDSTEADS, including two 4.6 Testers, Single, and 2 ditto, with complete sets best Bedding, Double and Treble Wove Wires, Blankets, Sheets, and Quilts—all scrupulously clean and in grand order.
Child's Medium-size COT, complete.
Kitchen and Laundry furnished well, and Clear Pine Dresser, Tables, and a host of useful Sundries.
BRODRIBB AND COMPANY have received instructions from Mr. T. R. Millar, Esq., to conduct this important sale prior to his departure for Europe.
N.B.—As the notice is short we are reluctantly compelled to dispense with catalogues and a view day, but the house will be open to view from 9 o'clock up to hour of sale, MONDAY NEXT, 10th inst., at 11 sharp.
Auctioneers' Rooms and Offices, 639 and 637 George-street.

THIS DAY, FEBRUARY 8th, at 10.30 a.m.
At the CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 274 PITT-STREET.
IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS.
Under IMPERATIVE INSTRUCTIONS TO SELL.
LADIES' WRITING TABLE, in Rosewood, Sideboard, WICKER SUITE 5 pieces, Austrian Chairs and Rockers, LEATHER DIVAN CHAIRS, Solid Walnut Frame Bookcase, Wicker and Bamboo Tables, Carpets, Curtains and Poles, WALNUT COUCH, upholstered in solid Leather, Clocks, PINE BEDROOM SUITE, 4 pieces, Handsome Cedar Toilet Table, combination and other Chests Drawers, Washstands and Ware, Double Brass-mounted and other Bedsteads and Bedding, Cot and Bedding, Chairs, High Chair, Rugs and Mats, Singer Sewing Machines, Dressers, Safes, Mirrors, Chiff. Safes, Go-carts, Fenders and Irons, Wringers, BOX OTTOMANS, in Cretonne, Pictures, E.P. Ware, Crockery, Cutlery, Dinner Set, Glassware, Toilet Ware, Gardening and Carpenter's Tools, Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, Lot of Groceries, Sundry Lots of Clothing, &c., &c.
A. G. JENKINS, will sell as above, THIS MORNING.

WEDNESDAY, 12th INSTANT, AT 11 A.M.
On the Premises, MALUA, VICTORIA-STREET, WAVERLEY, Close Charing Cross.
UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION of SUPERIOR FURNITURE AND EFFECTS, comprising:—
Drawing-room, Suite, Dining-room Suite, Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, Patent Roller Mangle, and Sundries.
A Lot of Choice FERNS and Pot Plants.
ALLDIS AND CO. have been favoured with instructions from the owner to sell by auction, without reserve, as above.

MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For Sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

THIS AFTERNOON, Vaucluse Land Sale. Free tickets for steamer. Richardson and Wrench, Ltd.

TUESDAY, 11th FEBRUARY, at Noon.
FOR POSITIVE SALE BY AUCTION, AT THE COMMERCIAL SALEROOMS, ASH-STREET, rear of Equitable Life Association.
Under instructions from Messrs. GERBER, MICHAUT, and COMPANY.
403 PACKAGES NEW SEASON INDIAN TEAS, Ex DARIUS, from Calcutta. ASSAMS, DARJEELINGS, DOOARS, TERAIS, &c., &c.
349 PACKAGES NEW SEASON CEYLON TEAS, Ex AUSTRALIA, from Colombo, PEKOES, ORANGE PEKOES, and BROKEN ORANGE PEKOES.
CYRIL TROWER AND COMPANY will hold the above important sale by auction at the Commercial Salerooms, Ash-street, TUESDAY NEXT, at Noon.

TUESDAY, 11th FEBRUARY, AT 11 A.M.
at "BRUNGLE," SPAIN'S WHARF-ROAD, NEUTRAL BAY,
Under instructions from Mrs. ROSINA FITZ-STUBBS, in consequence of her relinquishing housekeeping.
The whole of her HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, of superior quality, including BRILLIANT TONED PIANOFORTE, the "Dresden." BRUSSELS CARPET and SQUARES, SOLID WALNUT ENCLOSED SIDEBOARDS, DINING TABLE, LUXURIOUS CHAIRS and COUCHES, DOUBLE and SINGLE BEDSTEADS, Mahogany and Cedar Chests DRAWERS.
Also A QUANTITY OF PLATED WARE and KITCHEN UTENSILS, LAWN MOWERS, GARDEN TOOLS, &c.
FRASER, UTHER, AND CO. will sell by auction the above on TUESDAY, 11th February, at "Brungle," Spain's Wharf-road, Neutral Bay, at 11 A.M.
The above will be on view on MONDAY, the 10th February, from 10 a.m. till 5 p.m.

THURSDAY, 13th FEBRUARY, at the CITY MART, 8 SPRING-STREET, at 11.30 a.m.
Under Instructions from Messrs. Scott, Henderson, and Co.
667 Packages CEYLON TEAS
300 Ditto NEW SEASON'S KOOLOO.
Under Instructions from Messrs. Parbury, Henty, and Co.
561 Packages INDIAN TEAS. Ex Darius and Chitra.
FRASER, UTHER, AND CO. will sell by auction, the above.

MORTGAGEES' SALE.
AT THE ROOMS, 313 PITT-STREET.
TUESDAY, 11th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.
NORTHWOOD, Lane Cove River. Lot 71 of the Sea Bright Estate, 78 feet 3 in. frontage to Northwood-road, depths 117 feet 5 in. and 126 feet 6 in. respectively. Torrens Title.
SANS SOUCI, Rocky Point-road. W.B Cottage, iron roof, lined inside, containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, front and back verandahs; also detached W.B. Building, used as post-office. Land, 40 feet x 100 feet to a lane 20 feet wide. Torrens.
ALSO ON ACCOUNT OF THE OWNER.
THORNLEIGH, Thornleigh-street. Lots 8 and 9 of Sec. 5, Thornleigh Township, 80ft. x 120ft. Torrens Title.
WATKIN and WATKIN, Auctioneers.

AT THE RISK AND EXPENSE OF THE FORMER PURCHASER.
Lots 3 and 4, Sec. 12, WYOMING ESTATE, GOSFORD.—Frontages to Thornley-street and Wyoming-road, Area 3-2-15, with Improvements thereon, said to be W.B. Room, fencing, portion cleared and planted.
WATKIN and WATKIN, by order of the original Vendors, will offer by auction, at their Rooms, 313 Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, 11th February, at 11.30 a.m.
The above. The Title is Torrens.

EXECUTORS' SALE.
ESTATE of the late WM. JARRETT, Esq.
AUCTION, TUESDAY, 18th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.
At our Rooms, 313 PITT-STREET (between Park and Bathurst streets).
WATKIN and WATKIN, by order of the Executors offer for sale by Auction the following Properties:—
GLEBE POINT. Water Frontages. 2 RESIDENCES. VENETIA, a Handsome and Commodious 2-story brick Residence, slate roof, containing wide entrance hall, 4 reception rooms, 7 bedrooms, and all usual outoffices, verandahs and balconies, coachhouse, stable, man's room, bathing-house, &c., lovely lawns, extending to the sea-wall. BELLEVUE COTTAGE Villa, brick, slate roof, containing hall, 5 reception, 4 bedrooms, and outoffices. The land has about 200ft. frontage to Kennedy-street, and extensive frontage to the waters of the harbour. Torrens tile. Inspection by appointment.
GLEBE POINT, Nos. 407 to 419, Glebe Point-road and Leichhardt-street. TERRACE of 7 Modern RESIDENCES, 2-story, brick, slate roofs. The corner house contains hall, 4 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, and out-offices, brick coachhouse, stables, and man's room, &c. The other 6 each contain tiled entrance porch, hall, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms and out-offices, verandah, and balcony. Land about 152ft. to Glebe Point-road, and 135ft. along Leichhardt-street, extending to Mary-street. Freehold title. Inspection by appointment.
GLEBE POINT, Kennedy and Oaley streets. ST. AUBYN'S TERRACE, of 4 2-story Brick Residences, each containing half-hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bath, verandah, and balcony. Land 75ft. x 174ft., width at rear, 44ft. Freehold title.
1, 3, and 5 GLEBE-ROAD and GROSE-STREET. Three substantial Stone and Brick SHOPS and DWELLINGS. 1 Shop and Dwelling of 6 rooms and basement, 2 ea. Shop and Dwelling of 5 rooms, land 50ft. x 80ft. Freehold title.
GLEBE, 59 to 71 BROUGHAM-ST., or BRIDGE-ROAD, GLEBE, CAMPBELL, MITCHELL, and GLEBE STS., LEASEHOLDS. Seven 2-story Brick HOUSES, ea. 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, verandah, and balcony, land 87ft. 6in. and 90ft. Freehold title. Campbell-street, Nos. 47 to 57, 6 2-story Brick HOUSES, iron roofs, ea. 4 rooms, kitchen, verandah, and balcony. Do., Nos. 59 to 69, 6 do., do. Mitchell-street, 89 to 91, 3 do., do. Mitchell-street, No. 97, 1 do., do. Glebe-street, 114 to 120, 4 do., do., ground rent £140 per annum, lease expires 31st Dec., 1918.
LEICHHARDT, 375 and 377 PARRAMATTA-RD. Two 2-story Brick SHOPS and DWELLINGS, of 6 rooms, &c., &c., land 40 x 119. Torrens title.
PETERSHAM, 106 WESTBOURNE-STREET. Brick COTTAGE, slate roof, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, front and back verandahs, land 20 x 96. Torrens title.
ASHFIELD, 22 CARSHALTON-STREET. Semi-detached Brick COTTAGE, slate roof, half-hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, &c., front verandah, land 20 x 115. Torrens title.
MULGOA, about 13 miles from Penrith. FAIRLIGHT ESTATE, 2550 acres, Freehold, commodious modern Brick Homestead and outbuildings. Freehold title.
T. M. SLATTERY, Esq., Hoffnung's-buildings, Solicitor for Executors.

EXECUTORS' SALE.
Estate of the late Wm. Jarrett, Esq.
TUESDAY, 18th February, at 11.30 a.m.
WATKIN and WATKIN, by order of the Executors, will offer by auction, the undermentioned Lands:—
ASHFIELD SOUTH, Hardy-street. Lots 18, 19, and 20, Mountside Estate, 57ft. 9in. frontage, depths 127 and 141 ft. respectively. Torrens title.
MARRICKVILLE, Butley-street. Lots 13, 14, 17, and 18, Sec. 1, Riverside Estate, 22ft. frontage x 231. Torrens title.
HOMEBUSH NORTH. Lot 10, Sec. 24, 50ft. to Wentworth-road x 315ft. Lot 10, Sec. 24, 50ft. frontage x 148ft. Lot 9, Sec. 24, 66ft. to Wentworth-road x 315ft. Lot 14, Sec. 22, 50ft. to Parramatta-road x 165ft. along Powell-street. Torrens title.
CAMPBELLTOWN, Terry's Subdivision. Lots 1 to 61, Sec. 17; Lots 1 to 10, Sec. 18; Lots 1 to 7, Sec. 19; Lots 3 to 6, Sec. 20. Area, 8 acres 1 rood 15 perches. Freehold title.
T. M. SLATTERY, Esq., Solicitor for Executors.

EXECUTORS' SALE.
ESTATE OF THE LATE WM. JARRETT, Esq.
WATKIN and WATKIN, by order of the Executors, offer by auction, at their Rooms, 313 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th February, at 11.30 a.m., One-half undivided interest in the undermentioned Lands—
MARRICKVILLE. Lots 9 and 10, 73ft. 9in. to Wardell-road, x 139ft. 3in. and 195ft. 8in. Woodcourt Estate. Lots A and B, 95ft. to Marrickville-road, x 165ft. Lots 13, 14, and 15, 125ft. to Woodcourt-street x 140 and 177 ft. Lots 19 and 20, 100ft. to Woodcourt-street x 130ft. Torrens title.
CANTERBURY, George-street and Northcote-street. 52 acres 3 roods 28 perches, fenced, and small cottage thereon.
CANTERBURY, Northcote and William streets. The Residue of Lots 32, 33, and 34, in all about 37 acres.
CANTERBURY, Northcote, Bismarck, and Glenore streets. 6 acres 2 roods 20 perches, with Cottage.
T. M. SLATTERY, Esq., Solicitor for Executors.

HOBART, TASMANIA.
METROPOLITAN HOTEL.
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17. To Investors and Others.
VALUABLE CENTRAL HOTEL and SHOPS.
ROBERTS and CO., Limited, are instructed to SELL, at the Mart, Murray-street, on the above day, at twelve o'clock sharp, That magnificent Block of City Property in Murray-street, comprising the Metropolitan Hotel, the Shops occupied by Messrs. Taylor and Sharp, the Shops occupied by Messrs. Williams Bros.
The Land is the most compact block in the city, and has a frontage of 127ft. on Murray-street by a depth of 150ft., and is bounded by two roadways and the rivulet.
This commodious family hotel is well known as one of the leading and most popular establishments in the city. The accommodation comprises nearly 60 rooms, with every requisite for a large and lucrative business. The connection is very extensive, and its central position is very advantageous for general trade. The private rooms are in request for meetings, &c.
The Auctioneers would particularly direct attention to the many advantages of the property in question as an investment. The hotel and shops are in good order, and let readily to constant tenants at remunerative rates.
Terms: 15 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. upon completion, the balance to remain for three or five years at 4 per cent. per annum clear.
Reference, J. W. GILL, Esq., Solicitor, Collins-street, Hobart.

LAST CHANCE to SECURE WATER FRONTAGES at MOSMAN.
MAGNIFICENT BUILDING SITE, adjoining residence of C. W. Bennett, Esq., 3 mins. from wharf, ELEVATED POSITION, GLORIOUS VIEWS, superior residences on either side.
LAND has FRONTAGE about 100ft. 6in. to MUSGRAVE-STREET, by a depth of 480ft. on northern side, and 413ft. southern side, to water frontage, say about 1 ACRE 4 PER.
ALSO, FRONTING MUSGRAVE-STREET, 2 blocks having in all FRONTAGE 100ft. 6in., by DEPTH of 172ft. on south and 230ft. on the north to deep water. RECLAMATION SECURED and PAID FOR.
SIDNEY RAPER AND CO. will offer the above by auction, at the Rooms, 82A Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 13th FEBRUARY next, at 11.30 a.m.

AT WAVERLEY.
COMFORTABLE COTTAGE HOME, CANIABA,
BRAE-STREET, within 2 minutes of tram. LAND has a frontage of 40ft. to northern side of BRAE-STREET, by a depth of 215ft. On the land is erected BRICK COTTAGE, cemented front on stone foundation, contains hall, 5 large rooms, kitchen, laundry, bathroom, front and back verandahs, has garden in front, buggy entrance at side, large yard, with fruit trees and fowlrun at rear. EASY TERMS can be arranged. An excellent chance to secure a NICE HOME or an INVESTMENT. Have Good TENANT prepared to rent for 3 years at £80 p.a.
SIDNEY RAPER AND CO. will offer the above by public AUCTION at their Rooms, 82A PITT-STREET, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 13th FEBRUARY Next, at 11.30 a.m.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
NEUTRAL BAY.
COTTAGE RESIDENCE, UPPER WYCOMBE-ROAD, RANGATIRA, now tenanted by Hon. Henry Stuart, M.L.C.
LAND has FRONTAGE to UPPER WYCOMBE-ROAD of 100FT. by depth of 150FT. to lane at rear. AREA: 1 rood 18½ per. Title leasehold, about 75 years to run.
RESIDENCE built of brick cemented on brick and cement foundations, Bangor slate roof, contains fine entrance hall, 8 ROOMS, kitchen, and all offices, and is in first-class condition. GROUNDS tastefully laid out in lawns and flower beds.
RANGATIRA is within 6 MINUTES of FERRY, 1d electric tram passes door.
SOLICITORS FOR MORTGAGEE: Messrs. CURTISS and BARRY, King-street.

ALSO AT NEUTRAL BAY,
That CHARMING COTTAGE RESIDENCE, TYNEDALE, CORNER WYCOMBE and RAYMOND ROADS, now tenanted by Dr. W. S. Hinder.
LAND has FRONTAGE 88ft. 7in. to RAYMOND-ROAD and 28ft. 10in. to lane at rear, depth on northern side 230ft., and on the south 212ft. Title Leasehold, about 76 years to run.
TYNEDALE, the best and most convenient site in this beautiful suburb, commanding most beautiful and extensive views, within few minutes of ferry. Tram stops almost at door.
COTTAGE IS OF BRICK on stone, cavity walls, tiled verandah front, side, and rear, replete with every convenience; handsomely fitted and decorated, and in perfect order. Has wide hall opening into tiled lounge, 8 rooms, kitchen, bathroom (hot water service), 2 w. c.'s, MOST MODERN SEWERAGE; pantries, scullery, wood and coal house, &c.; DETACHED FERNERY, AVIARY, &c. GROUNDS are most picturesquely laid out, lawns, terraces, gardens, drying-ground, fowlrun, &c.
SIDNEY RAPER AND CO. will offer the above properties by Public Auction, at their Rooms, 82A Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 13th February next, at 11.30 a.m.

NORTH SYDNEY.
AN IMPERATIVE SALE OF A VALUABLE BUILDING SITE.
CENTRALLY SITUATE in the BUSINESS PORTION of WALKER-STREET, NEARLY OPPOSITE the FIRE STATION, ONLY a FEW FEET from MOUNT-STREET. CLOSE TO TRAM and FERRY.
The Land has a frontage of 25ft. to Walker-street, depth 89ft. Title Freehold.
H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, will sell as above at the Rooms, 38 Pitt-street, Sydney, NEXT THURSDAY, the 13th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.

CITY PROPERTIES.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
TO INVESTORS, TRUSTEES, SPECULATORS, and Others.
6 RENT-PRODUCING PROPERTIES, situate in PALMER-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO, near WILLIAM-STREET, only few minutes from G.P.O.
TOTAL RENTS, £196 PER ANNUM.
No. 167 PALMER-STREET. A Brick Shop and Dwelling, of stone foundations, shop, 4 rooms, kitchen, &c., rent 17s per week.
Nos. 169 and 171 PALMER-STREET. A pair of semi-detached Houses, with iron roofs, each balcony, verandah, half hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, w.h., &c., each let at 13s 6d per week.
No. 187 PALMER-STREET. Substantial Brick House, on stone foundations, slate roof, 5 rooms, hall, kitchen, and all offices, let at 18s 6d per week.
No. 18 WOODS-LANE, rear of Palmer-street. A Brick Cottage, iron roof, 4 rooms, kitchen, &c., let for 7s per week.
No. 9 CHAPEL-LANE, rear of Palmer-street. A Stone and Brick House, 3 rooms and kitchen, let for 8s per week.
TITLE FREEHOLD.
H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, will sell as above, by Public Auction, in the Rooms, 38 PITT-STREET, Sydney, NEXT THURSDAY, 13th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.
Messrs. GOULD and SHAW, Solicitors for Mortgagees, Pitt-street, Sydney.

NORTH SYDNEY.
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEE.
To LAND SPECULATORS, BUILDERS, Investors, and others.
All that VALUABLE PROPERTY known as CHYNUS, together with 1¼ acre of Land, situate in FALCON-STREET, between WEST and MILLER STREETS, and 2 minutes from the Park, located in one of the most central positions in this FLOURISHING RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT. Tram passes the Property.
This VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND has a frontage of about 230ft. to FALCON-STREET, depth about 280ft., and COULD BE EASILY SUBDIVIDED INTO LOTS, which would realise first-class prices on account of its IMPORTANT RESIDENTIAL POSITION.
CHYNUS comprises 6 rooms, hall, kitchen, and is well within its own beautiful grounds of 1¼ Acre, which is now under CULTIVATION as a GARDEN, &c. Title Freehold.
H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, will sell as above, at the Rooms, 38 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY, NEXT THURSDAY, 13th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.
H. L. TRESS, Solicitor for Trustee, Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney.
Cards to view obtainable from Auctioneers.

MOSMAN.
BALMORAL VIEW ESTATE.
BALMORAL VIEW ESTATE, MOSMAN.
SATURDAY, 22nd FEBRUARY, 1902, ON THE GROUND, at 3.15 p.m.
16 SUPERIOR VILLA SITES, 16
with frontages of 50 to 60 ft. to REDAN and RAGLAN STREETS, REDAN AND RAGLAN STREETS, BALMORAL AVENUE, with through depths varying from 140ft. to 220ft., RUNNING FROM STREET TO STREET.
Commanding Grand Views of Balmoral Harbour. Five minutes from Tram and popular Balmoral Baths. Surrounded by Superior Residences.
THE CENTRE OF MOSMAN. Torrens Title.
Terms: 10 per cent. cash, balance up to three years, interest 5 per cent. per annum.
Plans on application to H. W. HORNING and CO. STANTON and SON, Auctioneers in conjunction.

CHOICE QUEENSLAND STATION PROPERTY.
THUNDAH STATION AND STOCK.
HILL, CLARK, and CO. have received instructions from the Executors in the Estate of the late Dr. ALLAN CAMPBELL to sell by public auction, at the Wool Exchange, Macquarie-place, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 5th of MARCH, 1902, at 2.30 p.m.
The well-known Thundah Station, situated in the Gregory South district, about 210 miles from Charleville, 96 from Adavale, and 35 from Windorah.
AREA, 345 square miles. TENURE, 21 years from 1st July, 1892.
IMPROVEMENTS comprise a very comfortable homestead, with all necessary outbuildings, paddocks, yards, &c., for the efficient working of the property; also outstation, &c.
The COUNTRY is open plains, first-class mulga, cotton and saltbush, being magnificent fattening country of the highest quality, and well WATERED by Thundah Creek and Waterholes, another good creek, and numerous tanks, dams, and a lake; also two wells with windmill and troughing.
CAPABILITIES, about 8000 head of cattle.
STOCK, 350 (more or less) cattle, 140 sheep, 55 horses, all of which are fat.
Will be sold for a lump sum (plant included), and easy terms may be arranged.
For further particulars apply to HILL, CLARK, and CO., Sydney.

THE CELEBRATED ELIZABETH FARM, near Parramatta, Harris Park, Granville, and Rosehill Stations.—Best Building SITES in the District, each 66 x 165, commanding beautiful views of Tempani Hills, Carlingford, Ryde, and Surrounding Districts. Five minutes from Harris Park and Rosehill Stations. Torrens. Easy terms. Upset prices, 7s 6d to 15s foot. Land enclosed substantial fence. Gas and water. Surrounded by high-class properties. Send for plan. SALE on Ground SATURDAY, 15th February, at 3 p.m. MOBBS and HUNT, Auctioneers, Parramatta.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.
A fine ORCHARD, VINEYARD, and POULTRY FARM, 5 acres 21 perches, with good Brick Cottage and Outbuildings, situate at Prospect, 5 miles from Parramatta, 3½ from Merrylands, corner Government road and Harper-street, and bounded at rear by city water supply, in the occupation of Mr. John Jennings, will be sold by public auction, at the Rooms of MOBBS and HUNT, opposite Parramatta railway station, on WEDNESDAY, 19th FEBRUARY, at 12 o'clock. A chance for small capitalists. Very easy terms at sale. Title, Torrens.

MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For Sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

THIS AFTERNOON, Vaucluse Land Sale. Free tickets for steamer. Richardson and Wrench, Ltd.

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Auction Sales.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., PROPERTY AUCTIONEERS and VALUERS, 98 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY.

ESTATES MANAGED and PROPERTIES LET.

VALUATIONS OF LAND for the LAND AND INCOME TAXES, on the unimproved basis of the Act, prepared with our accustomed care.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited.

THIS DAY.

VAUCLUSE,

between Rose Bay and Watson's Bay, including WATER FRONTAGES TO PARSLEY BAY.

FIRST SUBDIVISION. LIBERAL ALLOTMENTS. Buyers can consolidate into block areas.

TO YACHTSMEN, ROWING CLUB MEMBERS, PRIVATE BOATMEN, and SEEKERS of RESIDENCE SITES.

It would indeed be difficult to surpass this Estate in the loveliness of its Views of the Harbour, Bays, Villages, and commanding sight of all vessels entering in and going out of the Heads.

TERMS: 10 per cent. deposit, 10 per cent. or the balance in 6 months free of interest, or three-fourths of balance money in 7 years at 4 per cent. interest, with liberty to pay off earlier.

DISTANCE: 5 minutes' walk from Watson's Bay steamer pier.

TRAM is to be extended to district.

TITLE IS TORRENS ACT. WATER FRONTAGES and other CHOICE SITUATIONS.

LITHOGRAPHS READY.

AUCTION SALE, on the Ground, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, 8th FEBRUARY, 1902.

SPECIAL STEAMER will leave No. 1 Jetty, Circular Quay, at 2.10 p.m. THIS DAY, to convey intending purchasers to the Ground.

FREE STEAMER TICKETS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6275)

BLAKEHURST, NEAR KOGARAH.

TANASARI,

A Very Attractive WATERSIDE RESIDENCE and its beautifully laid out GROUNDS, SEVEN ACRES IN EXTENT, fronting the WATERS of GEORGE'S RIVER, at the head of SHIPWRECK BAY, just above Tom Ugly's Point, commanding magnificent views of the neighbourhood across to Sutherland.

Tanasari is built of brick on stone foundation, with verandah and balcony in front, and contains hall, drawing and dining rooms, breakfast-room, 5 bedrooms, dressing-room, servant's room, bathroom, workroom, china closet, pantry, storeroom, kitchen and cellar, 2 tower-rooms; detached weatherboard stabling, coachhouse, and man's room, laundry, and buggy shed. Bathhouses on the water frontage.

The property is within easy distance of the city via Kogarah and Carlton.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, have received instructions from Captain JAMES to sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above highly-improved WATER-FRONTAGE RESIDENCE, GEORGE'S RIVER AT BLAKEHURST. (6411)

ROSE BAY.

Adjoining Cranbrook, the appointed residence of the State Governor, and otherwise neighboured by high-class properties.

CRANBROOK COTTAGE, built and owned by J. HORBURY HUNT, Esq., Architect, who is leaving for a trip to Europe on professional work.

The situation is at corner of NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD and VICTORIA-ROAD, commanding an attractive view of harbour. Leasehold, about 30 years yet to run, at only £5 per annum ground rental.

It is a Beautiful Site, with a northerly aspect, commanding extensive and varied views of the Harbour. It has the added advantage of all its boundary lines being secure against future objectionable building operations. Few Sites are now available near the city with so many well-grown shady trees. It would require almost a lifetime to create an equally charming property.

Cottage is of stone, with slate roof, and has a very wide verandah floored with marble tiles. There are a Sitting-room, Dining-room (China Pantry adjoining), two bedrooms, two servants' bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, &c. The rooms, though small, are comfortable, and capable of extension. Mr. Hunt has prepared plans showing how this extension could be effected. There is also a very large room, now used as a Library, which might easily be converted into two charming bedrooms should extra accommodation be required.

There is about 2 roods 3¼ perches, laid out in garden and shrubberies, and the ground has a frontage of 265ft. to New South Head-road, and 311ft. to the Victoria-road. In the near future these frontages might be turned to extremely profitable uses.

This is a rare opportunity to acquire an exceptionally choice property. Open for inspection on and after 1st ...

LEONARD GIBSON, Esq., Equitable-chambers, Pitt-street, is Vendor's Solicitor.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 14th February, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6383)

RANDWICK HEIGHTS.

Eligible Properties in this Attractive Suburb, in close proximity to highly-improved Residences.

A COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE, known as Barton, fronting AVOCA-STREET, at the corner of CUTHILL-STREET, and opposite a Reserve along which the tramway runs. A complete property with extensive stabling premises. Barton is substantially built and handsomely finished, and contains verandah and balcony front and rear, hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, and laundry, detached billiard-room (handsomely painted and decorated), brick stable (two loose boxes), coachhouse, man's room, harness-room, with loft over.

THE LAND has 147ft. frontage to Avoca-street (east side) and 111ft. to the south side of Cuthill-street, with lane entrance at the rear.

FIVE Valuable BUILDING SITES, comprising Lots 20 to 24, sec. 2, PEARCE ESTATE, having a total frontage of 200ft. to the BELMORE-ROAD, depth 150ft. along WARATAH-AVENUE, and extending to a lane at the rear. IN ONE OR MORE LOTS. Plan on view at the rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (in conjunction with Allitts and Co., Waverley), have received instructions from the owner, who has returned to ..., to sell by auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

The above Property at Randwick. (6410)

DARLINGHURST FREEHOLD.

Close to Darlinghurst-road and Macleay-street.

A Detached VILLA RESIDENCE, No. 5 ROSLYN-STREET, off Darlinghurst-road, built of brick on stone foundation, with verandah (tiled) and balcony in front, and containing 8 rooms, 2 servants' rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen and laundry; also a two-story House known as The Retreat, fronting Kellett-lane, built of brick on stone foundation, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing 5 rooms, kitchen, and laundry. The land comprises two portions, a triangle having 115ft. to Roslyn-street and 47ft. to Kellett-lane, and Allotment 50ft. to Kellett-lane x 65ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th February, at 11 o'clock.

The above Property at Darlinghurst. (6409)

1—BOTANY.

By order of the Executors of the late Susannah Davies.

A CHANCE NOT OFTEN MET WITH.

To Speculators, Investors, Woolwashers, Tanners, Market Gardeners, and others.

SPLENDIDLY SITUATED BLOCK OF LAND, 12 chains frontage to SIR JOSEPH BANKS-ROAD, ... tram, port and ... sewer. Soil first-class ... suitable for good FACTORY SITE. Let to two tenants at rental of ... per annum. This is an opportunity seldom offering. Inspection invited. IN ONE LOT.

2.—ROSEDALE ESTATE, BURWOOD. Lots 3 and 4, ...

3.—FIXED DEPOSIT RECEIPTS in City and County and Australian Mutual Inv. Co.'s.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6429)

CLEVELAND-STREET, REDFERN

corner of Great Buckingham-street.

A key position in a great thoroughfare.

TORRENS TITLE.

FEET 11 INCHES FRONTAGE, by depth of 99ft. along Great Buckingham-street, back to a lane. This valuable corner site could be applied for several profitable uses, and it is just opposite the city boundary.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6430)

BLUE'S POINT, LAVENDER BAY.

ROOD 17¼ Perches, or thereabouts, Blue's Point-road, adjoining Public Wharf, and having a frontage of about 115ft. to Blue's Point-road, running up to the Public Wharf. Rear line to lane is about 128ft. Jetty with overhead tramway, 3 stone cottages, two large stores of iron, &c., office and weighbridge.

Harbour Trust Regulations allow for 21 years' lease of Reclamation Land and Jetty on moderate terms, and this would be secured a...

VALUABLE WATER FRONTAGE for Coal, Timber Merchants, or Shipping Companies.

TORRENS TITLE. TERMS AT SALE.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 14th February, 1902, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited. (6429)

EVANS-STREET, WAVERLEY,

a few yards north of tram in Macpherson-street.

No. 10, a detached COTTAGE of brick (tuckpointed front) on brick foundation, with verandah (tiled) in front, and containing hall, drawing and dining rooms (folding doors), breakfast-room, 3 bedrooms, bath, copper, pantry, kitchen, and wash-house. Land 40 x 142ft.

Messrs. Chenhall and Eddie, Solicitors, 60 Castlereagh-street.

Auction Sale, FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6416)

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE ESTATE LATE Mr. R. ANDERSON.

1. MARGARET-STREET, NEWTOWN.—Two-story Residence, LASSWADE, No. 16, of brick on stone, front cemented and painted, verandah and balcony in front, balcony at rear, containing half-hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, pantry, washhouse with bath, stable at rear, near King-street, land 29 x 119 feet.

2. KENT-STREET, NEWTOWN.—Four COTTAGES, Nos. 1 to 7, of brick (painted) on stone, iron roof, each verandah, 3 rooms, kitchen and washhouse combined, rentals £63 4s yearly, land 56ft. 2in. x 119ft.

Lot 3.—CAMPERDOWN.—FOUR COTTAGES, Nos. 148 to 154 AUSTRALIA-STREET. They are of brick, fronts cemented and painted, verandahs in front, and each containing half-hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, and copper, gas, sewer, city water. The land has 66ft. frontage by 82ft. Rental £93 12s per annum.

Lot 4.—CAMPERDOWN.—COTTAGE, No. 151 DENISON-STREET. It is of brick, with stone front, verandah, and containing half-hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, and copper. Land 16¾ft. x 62½ft. Back to lane at rear. Rent 7s 6d.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th February, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above.

C. M. BOYCE, Esq., is Solicitor of the Estate. (6427)

MAUD-STREET, BALMAIN,

between Darling and Glassop streets and only one minute from the tram.

A newly-erected and neatly-designed TERRACE OF FIVE COTTAGES, Otira to Otago inclusive, built of brick (tuckpointed fronts) on brick foundations, with verandahs (tiled) in front, and containing each hall, 4 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse, land having 84ft. x 116ft. back to a right-of-way.

A desirable INVESTMENT in a most attractive part of this populous suburb, returning a RENTAL of £195 PER ANNUM.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above Cottages at Balmain.

Inspection invited. (6421)

KENTHURST,

Parramatta District.

40 ACRES LAND, being portion No. 180, partly improved as orchard and orangery, fronting road front and rear. The improvements comprise small dwelling of wood, about 5 acres oranges and lemons, 3 acres summer fruits and 2 acres passion vines, never-failing water supply by tanks, &c. It is occupied by Mr. Chalmers, and is situate about 14 miles from Parramatta and 9 miles from Pennant Hills. Torrens title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, SYDNEY, on FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m., the above. (6426)

ULTIMO INVESTMENTS.

Opposite the Homes of Miss Harris and J. Harris, Esq.

LOT 1.—EIGHT HOUSES, of brick, each verandah and balcony in front, and containing severally 4 rooms and kitchen, viz.:

Nos. 440 and 442 Jones-street.—TWO 2-story Houses.
43 and 45 Burlinson-street.—TWO 2-story Houses.
303 and 305 Crown-road.—TWO 2-story Houses.
44 and 46 Burlington-street.—TWO 2-story Houses.

Rental, £213 14s per annum. In one or three lots.

Leasehold, 56 years to run at £31 4s yearly.

LOT 2.—CROWN-ROAD, &c.,

55 years to run at £10 yearly.

HOUSE, No. 297 Crown-road, of brick, hall, vdh. and bal., 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, stabling &c.

2 HOUSES, Nos. 36 and 38 Burlinson-road, each 4 rooms, washhouse &c.

Rental, £88 12s yearly.

AUCTION SALE FRIDAY, 14th February, at 11 o'clock,

(6340) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

NORTH SHORE FREEHOLDS

(Mosman and Gordon).

By order of the TRUSTEES of the Estate of SAMUEL SMITH (deceased).

Lot 1. VICTORIA (formerly Susannah) and WILLIAM STREETS.—Terrace of FOUR HOUSES, Nos. 62 to 68 Victoria-street. RENTAL, £124 16s per annum. Torrens Title.

Lot 2. HOLTERMAN-STREET.—TWO HOUSES, Nos. 75 and 77 Holterman-street. RENTAL, £52 per annum. Torrens Title.

Lot 3. HAYBERRY-STREET.—TWO detached COTTAGES, Nos. 98 and 100 Hayberry-street. RENTAL, £62 8s per annum. Torrens Title.

Lot 4. BURLINGTON-STREET.—THREE COTTAGES, Nos. 49 to 53. RENTAL, £62 8s per annum. Torrens Title.

Lot 5. BURLINGTON-STREET.—TERRACE of EIGHT COTTAGES, Nos. 94 to 108. RENTAL, £166 8s per annum.

Lot 6. WALKER-STREET.—BLOCK of VACANT LAND, having 88½ft. frontage to WALKER-STREET, north of Berry-street. Torrens.

Lot 7. PARISH OF GORDON.—1 acre 3 roods 8 perches, Stony Creek-road and Cowan-road. Torrens.

Lot 8. MILITARY-ROAD, MOSMAN.—Two Cottages and a SHOP, Nos. 26, 28, and 30 Military-road, near North Sydney boundary. RENTAL, £67 12s per annum.

Lot 9. ERNEST-STREET.—Weatherboard HOUSE, Ernest-street, at rear of Lot 8, Land 65ft. by 234ft.

Lot 10. ALFRED-STREET.—4 SHOPS and Dwellings, Nos. 283 to 289 Alfred-street (opposite Mount-street), and Hall over, and Cottage, No. 48 Little Alfred-street.

LOT 11.—Arthur-street, TWO HOUSES, Nos. 87 and 89 Arthur-street, between Junction and Mount-streets. RENTALS, £62 8s per annum.

LOT 12.—LITTLE ARTHUR-STREET, Weatherboard COTTAGE, No. 30, at rear of Lot 11. RENTAL, £20 16s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction at the rooms on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above freeholds. Full particulars in future advertisement.

H. PEDEN STEEL, Esq., is Solicitor of the estate. (6402)

PYRMONT,

Close to the Darling Harbour Railway Terminus.

TWO DWELLINGS, Nos. 81 and 83 MURRAY-STREET, at corner of Bunn-street, built of brick on stone and brick foundation. The former contains balcony in front, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washshed, and the latter 2 rooms and shed. Also, Wooden Stabling fronting Harwood-lane. Land 66ft. x 85ft. back of Harwood-lane. Leasehold, 74 and 75 years. Ground rental, £17 per annum.

Chenhall and Eddie, Solicitors, 60 Castlereagh-street.

Auction Sale, FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6417)

BURWOOD.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

"CRAIGMOUNT," a DETACHED RESIDENCE and Grounds, on south side of BELMORE-ST., between Shaftesbury-road and Burwood-road; only 4 minutes from railway station. It is of brick, slate roof, verandah in front, and containing hall, 5 rooms, 2 attic rooms, 4 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, and washhouse of weatherboards, stable and shed. Sewer, gas, city water. LAND, 150ft. frontage to the south side of BELMORE-STREET, depth 200ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 14th February, at 11.30,

The above, to be sold, and on easy terms.

KEY at Auctioneers' Rooms. (6398)

CITY PROPERTY.

KENSINGTON-STREET.

A few yards off George-street West, and abutting on to TOOTH'S BREWERY PROPERTY.

1. A Shop and Dwelling, Nos. 1 and 3 Kensington-street, erected on land 30ft. x 60ft.

2. Three Two-story Houses, Nos. 27 to 31 Kensington-street, erected on land 50ft. x 60ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

The above City Property. Full particulars in a future issue.

Messrs. DAWSON, WALDRON, and GLOVER, 173 Pitt-street, Solicitors to the Estate. (6436)

BELMORE-ROAD, RANDWICK.

Rapidly coming to the front as a business centre, south of Alison-road.

BAKER'S SHOP and DWELLING, built of brick, with Awning in front, and containing Shop, 5 rooms and kitchen. Land 20ft. x 137ft.

By order of the Mortgagee.

CHENHALL and EDDIE, Solicitors, 60 Castlereagh-street.

Auction Sale, FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6418)

ASHFIELD.

On the southern side of the Railway Line, and in a highly improved part of this popular suburb, attractive surroundings.

WESTTHORPE.

A COTTAGE RESIDENCE, fronting the east side of VICTORIA-STREET, between Robert and Clissold streets. Land, 120 feet x 150 feet.

By order of the Trustees Estate late Hon. A. N. JACOB, M.L.C.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above desirable COTTAGE RESIDENCE at Ashfield. Full particulars in a future issue.

Messrs. AITKEN and AITKEN, Castlereagh-street, Solicitors to the Estate. (6432)

BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATRIX ESTATE LATE MR. M. FRANKS, ST. PETERS.

A Detached COTTAGE, fronting the eastern side of GROVE-STREET, a few yards north of the Cook's River-road, land 50ft. x 100ft., the first cutting off the main road.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above Cottage and Land at St. Peters. Full particulars in a future issue.

Messrs. Jno. Dawson and Son (now Lamsdaine and Leibius), Pitt-street, Solicitors to the Estate.

ERSKINEVILLE.

Situate close to the Railway Station, and only a short distance from the electric trams in King-street, Newtown.

Nos. 6 to 14 JOHN-STREET, off the main Erskineville-road.

A Two-story HOUSE and FOUR COTTAGES, erected on land having 80ft. frontage to John-street (west side) with a depth of 100ft.

RENTAL, £145 12s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above Investment Property at Erskineville. Full particulars in a future issue. (6434)

MARRICKVILLE.

only a few yards from the Railway Station and electric tram.

BROMPTON, a 2-story House, fronting the Illawarra-road, 40ft. x 160ft., lane entrance at rear. Torrens Title.

Auction Sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with STIMSON and SONS, Glebe. (6341)

REDFERN FREEHOLD.

Just beyond the City Boundary, south of Cleveland-street.

A two-story HOUSE, No. 31 THOMAS-STREET, between Ivy and Vine streets. Land, 20 feet x 95 feet back to a lane.

By Order of the Mortgagee.

Messrs. HILLIARD and MANSFIELD, 80 Pitt-street, the Mortgagee's Solicitors.

Auction Sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

(6433) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

THIS AFTERNOON, Vaucluse Land Sale. Free tickets for steamer. Richardson and Wrench, Ltd.

By Order of the Trustees Estate late Mrs. BRIDGET MONAGHAN.

1. ENMORE.—No. 29 Cavendish-street, between Liberty-street and Enmore-road.—A Weatherboard Cottage, on land 20ft. x 135ft. 9in. on one side and 102ft. 9in. on the other, width at rear 46ft. 9in.

2. LEWISHAM.—A Capital Building Site, Lot 10, sec. 2, Lewisham Estate, having 66ft. frontage to the Canterbury (New) road, a few yards north-east of Eltham-street, with a depth of 135ft. 4in.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above Suburban Properties. Full particulars in a future issue.

Messrs. PIGOTT and STINSON, 98 Castlereagh-street, Solicitors to the Estate. (6435)

DULWICH HILL,

within easy distance of the city by electric trams.

LANGWOORNAH.

A FAMILY RESIDENCE, fronting HERBERT-STREET, with grounds extending back to Yule-street, situate between Wardell-road and Fairlowl-street. Land, 100ft. to Herbert-street with a good depth through to Yule-street to which it has 50ft. frontage. Torrens title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above Property at Dulwich Hill. Full particulars in a future issue. (6420)

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS. MORTGAGEE'S SALE. IN THE ESTATE LATE WM. BLAKE.

Lot 1.—GRANVILLE, allotment 8, sec. 5, ELIZABETH FARM ESTATE, 50ft. to ALFRED-STREET, depth 185ft. back to lane. Torrens.

LOT 2. CLYDE.—Allotment 3, sec. 4, Town of NEW GLASGOW, 40ft. frontage to THE TRONGATE, depth 200ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above. Plans on view.

T. LEEDER and SON, Conveyancers, 1A Hunter-street. (6431)

DENILIQUIN,

Opposite the Railway Station, corner Napier and Harfleur streets.

330 feet to former; 264 feet frontage to latter.

A Good Position in a future important country town.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at Sydney, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6407)

CROYDON.

BUILDING LOTS, 10 and 11, Sec. 2 of Meadows Estate, having 80ft. frontage to RICHMOND-STREET, depth 120ft., near Queen-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m. (6425)

WORTH ATTENTION.

For Imperative Sale.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

MILSON'S POINT.—A two-story Shop, of brick on stone, having 6 apartments, kitchen, servant's room, stables, &c. Land 25ft. frontage Alfred-street x 132ft. At rear (divided by lane) are brick stable, coachhouse, refrigerating-room, machinery-room, large loft over and man's room. LAND, 60ft x 25ft. Rental, £117 per annum. Valuable leading business position, near Pitt-street and Ferry.

PYMBLE, at St. Ives.—Two-story Residence of stone slate roof, containing about 8 rooms, &c. Land about 1 acre, fronting Stoney Creek-road. Rent, 7s 6d per week.

DITTO.—Land, 17 acres adjoining above, in part orchard and garden. Rental, £35 per annum. Lease expires August 1903.

An enlarging and appreciated Railway Suburb.

WOOLWICH.—Two semi-detached Two-story Houses, of brick, each verandah and balcony, hall, 4 rooms, bathroom, servant's room, pantry and kitchen, washhouse of wood. Land, 66ft. to Onion's Point-road (opposite Valentia-street) x 150ft. back to View-street. Handy to ferry in a nice marine village.

STRATHFIELD.—Substantial and exceptionally well finished Residence, of brick (part cemented), slate roof, verandahs and balconies front, side, and rear, containing hall, 11 rooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, linen press, laundry, serving room, LAND (a corner), 198ft. to BERESFORD-ROAD x 204ft. along a street. This would make a gentleman's very superior home property, or serve for scholastic or other professional uses. Situated in a gladsome suburb, only an easy walk from station, enjoying the fullest railway trains, both through and suburban.

HOMEBUSH.—Corner Cottage of brick, slate roof, tiled verandah, hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, pantry, servant's room, breakfast corridor or conservatory, kitchen, and laundry. Land 67ft. MEREDITH-STREET x 200ft. along Broughton-road. An attractive, highly improved locality. Climate is healthy.

PETERSHAM.—Two Semi-detached Houses of brick, cemented, on stone, slate roofs, each verandah and balcony in front and rear, hall, 5 rooms, 2 attic rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse. In yard are stable and buggy shed. Land about 80ft. to NORWOOD-STREET WEST, off Palace-street, x 120ft. along a lane, and extending to Queen-street West. An elevated site commanding wide views.

WAVERLEY.—A two-story Detached HOUSE of brick, chiefly cemented and painted, on stone, slate roof, having verandah and balcony, hall, 6 rooms, pantry, kitchen, bathroom, and washhouse, shed of wood in yard. LAND 60ft. to south side of BIRRELL-STREET, nearly opposite Watson-street, x 120ft.

KATOOMBA,

the picked Sanatorium on the Mountains.

COTTAGE known as NIRVANA, on BATHURST-ROAD, next to Balmoral House, tenanted by Mrs. Simonsen. It is of stone, front and brick, with verandahs, hall, 10 rooms, kitchen, and sheds.

SUMMER HILL.

MORRIS-STREET.—Semi-detached COTTAGE of brick, tuckpointed front, verandah, 4 rooms, and washshed. Land 20ft. x 132ft.; near to Smith-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., have received instructions from the Mortgagees to sell by public auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

The above, intended for Positive Sale.

A RAPIDLY ADVANCING SHIPPING CENTRE.

Second only to the famous CIRCULAR QUAY.

COWPER WHARF, WOOLLOOMOOLOO BAY.

During the last few years the Government has carried out extensive wharfage extensions in this portion of the harbour, and contemplate making still further improvements to the foreshore of this important bay to accommodate the ever-growing shipping trade of the port. The many vessels now berthing at the Cowper Wharf include the mammoth ships of the White Star Line and Nord Deutscher Lloyd, evidence in itself that the depth of water at the Quay will float the most modern class of mercantile marine.

1. A large Block of BUILDING LAND, suitable as a site for a WAREHOUSE or WOOL STORE, having the following frontages:—

20ft. 1in. to DUKE-STREET.
27ft. 5in. to COWPER WHARF.
224ft. 0½in. to BROUGHAM-STREET.
113ft. 2½in. to HARNET-STREET.

A KEY CORNER opposite the MODERN WHARFS recently risen into prominence as a busy commercial centre.

INSPECTION INVITED.

2. A Store Site only a few yards off the COWPER WHARF, having frontages of 35ft. to Forbes-street and 31ft. to Nicholson-street, situate opposite the Woolloomooloo Fish Markets.

3. MARRICKVILLE.—A corner Building Site, having frontages of 142ft. 6in. to Victoria-road (tram route) and 178ft. 2½in. to Challis-street. The depth on the eastern line is 165ft. 3in.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above Properties. (6393)

NEWTOWN. Building Site, having 66ft. frontage to Richard street (north side), a few yards east of the Missenden-road, with a depth of 80ft., fenced.

AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, Pitt street, on FRIDAY, 21st FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

(6354) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

ST. PETERS.

SUBDIVISION SALE on the ground of that excellent block corner of COOK'S RIVER-ROAD, SAMUEL and LYMERSTON STREETS.

Tram stopping-place at the site.

ALLOTMENTS TO SUIT BUYERS.

TITLE TORRENS; TERMS, 10 per cent deposit, balance over three years at 5 per cent. interest.

LITHOGRAPHS OBTAINABLE.

AUCTION SALE on THE GROUND, SATURDAY, 22nd FEBRUARY, at 3 p.m.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

THE KEY CORNER of BLACKHEATH.

The favourite holiday resort on the Blue Mountains.

Lot 1. A Capital INVESTMENT PROPERTY, the best business position in the town.

The CENTRAL STORES and VICTORIA HOUSE, fronting the BATHURST-ROAD and GOVETT'S LEAP ROAD, erected on land 118ft. x 148ft. Torrens title.

RENTAL, £150 PER ANNUM.

Lot 2. TWO small SHOPS, fronting the BATHURST-ROAD, adjoining the above. Land 25ft. x ... Torrens title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above Properties at Blackheath. Full particulars in a future issue. (6353)

CITY,

in close proximity to the site of the New Railway Station, an improving centre.

PITT-STREET,

between Goulburn and Campbell streets.

A Cafe Dwelling, No. 410 Pitt-street, erected on land having 21ft. 2in. frontage to the east side of PITT-STREET, with a depth of about 100ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock,

The above City Property. Full particulars in a future issue. (6354)

In the ESTATE Late Mr. A. H. M'KECHNIE.

SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.

1. NEWTOWN, adjoining the St. Peters Railway Station. A Corner Shop, Cottage Residence, and small Shop, fronting KING-STREET SOUTH, Lord-street, and the Illawarra Railway Line; also 2 Houses, Nos. 2 and 4 Lord-street. Land, 80ft. x 202ft. 6in.

2. ST. PETERS.—A Triangle, having 100ft. to each Lackey and Hutchinson streets, depth on base line 153ft.

3. ST. PETERS.—Allotment No. 22, Sec. E, Grove Estate, 30ft. to Frederick-street x 109ft.

4. SANS SOUCI.—10 Allotments, Nos. 1 to 5 and 10 to 14, Sec. 8 St. Kilda Estate, in area ¾-acre each.

5. BELMORE.—41 acres 3 roods 27 perches, fronting Moorefield road, adjoining the Wesleyan Church.

6. BELMORE.—3 acres 2 roods 37 perches, fronting Moorefield-road, opposite Messrs. Seahill and O'Brien's properties.

7. BELMORE.—10 acres 39 perches, fronting a road off Chapel-street, and situate at the back of above.

Plans on View at the Rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock. (6349)

LONG NOSE POINT, BALMAIN.

VIDETTE, a first-class faithfully erected and delightfully situated WATER FRONTAGE RESIDENCE, No. 13 LOUISA-ROAD, opposite BIRCHGROVE PARK, and extending to the HIGH WATER MARK of LONG COVE. Land, 132ft. by 170ft. Cards to view.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th February, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement. (6345)

THIS AFTERNOON, Vaucluse Land Sale. Free tickets for steamer. Richardson and Wrench, Ltd.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

1. WAVERLEY.—Eight Houses, being Ivanhoe-terrace, in Albion-street, built of brick on stone, slate roof, each verandah and balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, washhouse. Land 111ft. x 150ft. back to a lane. Rentals £218 8s yearly.

2. WAVERLEY.—Two Houses, fronting Hooper-street, through to Albion-street. They are of Brick, cemented, on stone. They are slate roof, each verandah and balcony, hall, 6 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and laundry. Land 44ft. frontage to Albion-street.

3. LAND, 40ft. to Dickson-street x 120ft. (Lot 34, Wiley and Alfen's Subdivision).

4. LAND, 88ft. 4in. to Nelson Bay-road x 110ft. (Lots 37 and 38, Wiley and Alfen's Subdivision)

5. BALMAIN, near Mort's Dock.—Two Houses, Minnieville and Florenceville, of brick, cemented fronts, on stone, slate roof, each verandah and balcony, hall, 6 rooms, kitchen and washhouse. One has bay window and bathroom. Rentals, £88 8s yearly. Land 40ft. to Mort-street x 80ft., near Cameron-street.

6. MIDDLE HARBOUR, near Mosman's.—5 Acres 34 Perches, near Folly Point, fronting Long Bay, Middle Harbour.

7. GORDON, North Shore Railway Line, easy walk from station, and close to residence of Mr. Love.—9 Acres 2 Roods 26½ Perches, being Lots 6 and 7, sec. 1, of Thorn's Subdivision.

8. CROYDON.—Lots 3 and 4, Etonville Estate, on which are four Cottages, brick, rentals £67 12s yearly. Land 125ft. frontage to Croydon-road x 80ft., near Hunt-street, north of station.

9. ENFIELD.—Shop and Dwelling, corner of George's River-road and Beaufort-street. It is of brick, 7 apartments, &c. Land 45ft. 8in. x 132ft.

10. ENFIELD.—Land at rear of last (3 roods 34½ perches), 172ft. to Beaufort-road x 268ft. to Khedive-parade, and 160ft. to Seymour-street.

PARTICULARS of Title may be obtained from Messrs. COPE and CO., 14 Castlereagh-street, Solicitors for Vendors.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 28th February, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6438)

CITY AND SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.

By order of the EXECUTORS of the Estate late Mr. HENRY SMITH.

Lot 1. WOOLLOOMOOLOO.—HOUSE and COTTAGE, Nos. 132 Palmer-street, a few yards south of William-street. Land, 27ft. by 92½ft., back to lane.

Lot 2. NEWTOWN.—DWELLING, No. 4 WATKIN-STREET, close to King-street. Land, 15ft. by 90ft., back to lane.

Lot 3. NEWTOWN.—DWELLING, No. 23 BUCKNELL-STREET, close to King-street. Land, 16ft. by 95ft.

Lot 4. PETERSHAM.—BLOCK of LAND, 160ft. to CANTERBURY NEW ROAD (between Palace and Gordon streets), depth 102ft. along a lane. It is used as a wood and coal yard. Torrens Title.

Lot 5. PETERSHAM.—Detached COTTAGE, called Lyna Bank, No. 35, Railway-street. Land, 35ft. 8in. by 124ft. Torrens.

Lot 6. PETERSHAM.—Detached COTTAGE, called LEVEN BANK, No. 37 Railway-street. Land, 35ft. 8in. by 127ft. Torrens.

Lot 7. PETERSHAM. TERRACE of FOUR COTTAGES, Nos. 4, 6, 8, and 10 BURNS-STREET, off BRIGHTON-STREET, between Railway and Crystal streets. Torrens.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will Sell by Auction at the Rooms on FRIDAY, 28th February, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement. (6358)

BLACKHEATH,

the popular resort on the Blue Mountains.

SHABBETHAI,

A Detached COTTAGE RESIDENCE, fronting the MAIN BATHURST-ROAD, a side road, and a road at the rear, also a small Weatherboard Cottage at the rear.

LAND in area ONE ACRE.

By order of the Executors Estate late REV. T. S. FORSAITH.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, LTD., will sell by auction at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th February, at 11 o'clock.

The above choice Property at Blackheath, Blue Mountains. Keys obtainable from Mr. Slatyer, House Agent, Blackheath. (6356)

CITY INVESTMENT,

near RAILWAY NEW STATION.

THREE SHOPS and Dwellings, Nos. 190 to 192 ELIZABETH-STREET, between GOULBURN and CAMPBELL STREETS. RENTAL, £192 8s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th February, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above. Full particulars in future advertisement. (6346)

NORTH SHORE.

Detached COTTAGE and two semi-detached COTTAGES, Nos. 116, 118, and 120 ERNEST-STREET, between West-street and Lane Cove-road. LAND 70ft. by 155ft. back to lane. TORRENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th February, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above. Full particulars in future advertisement. (6347)

MOSMAN.

ARALUEN, a delightfully situated COTTAGE in CLIFFORD-STREET, off SPIT-ROAD, near Military-road and tram. LAND 40ft. x 125ft. TORRENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th February, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement. (6344)

ASHFIELD.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

MELIORA, a Brick HOUSE in CHARLOTTE-STREET, in the occupation of Mr. F. Lawler; Land, 50ft. by 200ft., through to John-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th February, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above. Full particulars in future advertisements. (6357)

SURRY HILLS,

near Railway New Station.

Large and Substantial Premises (Shop and Dwelling), No. 196 KIPPAX-STREET, at the corner of WATERLOO-STREET; and VACANT LAND (adjoining) KIPPAX-STREET; also COTTAGE, No. 21 Southwark-street, at rear. Land, 52ft. by 80ft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 28th February, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above. Full particulars in future advertisement.

Messrs. MAKINSON and PLUNKETT are Solicitors of the owner. (6348)

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS ESTATE LATE MR. GEORGE SMITH.

LEASEHOLD PREMISES, corner of ELIZABETH and COOPER STREETS, CITY. Opposite the site of the Railway Station.

THE EVENING STAR HOTEL,

together with the GOODWILL, the LICENSE (unexpired term), and the STOCK-IN-TRADE (the latter to be taken over by purchaser at net cost price.

THE LEASE has 15 YEARS to run from 3rd APRIL, 1902; rental £3 per week, tenant paying taxes.

Messrs. A. Rofe and Sons, 60 Castlereagh-street, solicitors to the Estate.

Auction Sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 28th FEBRUARY, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6350)

WAVERLEY.

The Best LAND in Market Available.

GOOD VIEWS OF OCEAN, &c.

Suitable Subdivision for Auction Preparing.

About APRIL, 1902. 4 per cent. interest.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6343)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13th, at Eleven O'Clock,

at the Works, STAWELL, VICTORIA.

Highly Important Auction Sale of VALUABLE MACHINERY and PLANT, BUILDINGS, TOOLS, and SUNDRIES of THE WONGA CYANIDE GOLD-RECOVERY COY.

By Order of the Directors.

The Plant comprises

SPLENDID COMPOUND ENGINE, cylinders 10in. and 20in. x 30in. stroke, fitted with automatic expansion gear, rope, flywheel, &c., by Thompson and Co., Castlemaine.

STEEL MULTITUBULAR BOILER, 14ft. x 5ft. 6in., inside fired, 54 tubes and 4 galloway tubes, working pressure 120lb., by Thompson and Co.

STEAM WINCH, Double Cylinders, 8in. x 10in., fitted with two 4ft. Drums, by Thompson and Co.

ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT, 250-light, 110 volts, 5-h.p. Motor, Incandescent Lamps, Cables, &c., by General Electric Coy., America.

REVOLVING CRUSHING PAN, 9ft. diameter, with perforated bottom.

REVOLVING ORE-DRYING FURNACE, with gear (cost £400), by Jaques Bros., Melbourne.

6 tons Steel Rails, OREGON CYANIDE VATS, 20ft. x 10ft., Oertling's Assay Balance, and large lot of Sundries.

NOTE.—The whole of the above Machinery has only been in use about 9 months, and was specially imported or manufactured locally for the above Company.

Catalogues and further particulars from

PLEASANCE, GRAHAM, and STYLES, Auctioneers, 28 and 30 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

TUESDAY, 18th FEBRUARY,

at the Works, Sturt-street,

SOUTH MELBOURNE, VICTORIA.

AUCTION SALE of VALUABLE MACHINERY, comprising

2 STEAM HAMMERS
3 SCREW CUTTING LATHES, 10½in., 9½in., and 8in. Centres.
PUNCHING and SHEARING MACHINE
SLOTTING, DRILLING, and SCREWING MACHINES
DROP HAMMER, WELDING MACHINE, TYRE BENDER
BAND SAW, HOT IRON SAW, HORIZONTAL ENGINE
MULTITUBULAR BOILER, 14ft. x 5ft.
Coke Crusher, Guillotine, Sturtevant Blower, Forges, Anvils, Vices, Shafting, Pulleys, Belting
Large Grindstone, 40cwt.; Weighing Machine, &c., &c.

By Order of Messrs. W. C. PEACOCK and BROTHER, who are leaving Victoria.

Catalogues posted on application to PLEASANCE, GRAHAM, and STYLES, Auctioneers, &c., 28 and 30 Elizabeth-street, Melbourne.

THIS AFTERNOON, Vaucluse Land Sale. Free tickets for steamer. Richardson and Wrench, Ltd.

OPPOSITE THE GOVERNMENT RESUMPTIONS.

KENT-STREET, Nos. 190 and 192,

north of Margaret-street.

STONE and BRICK PREMISES, containing in all about 11 rooms, rents £114 per yearly.

LAND 49ft. 11in. to KENT-STREET, depths from 56ft. 9in. to 40ft. 3½in. to CLARENCE-LANE at rear. TITLE FREEHOLD.

SPECIAL ATTENTION is DIRECTED to THIS PART OF THE CITY on account of the large sums of money about to be expended by the Government in the resumed area.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th FEBRUARY, 1902,

The above described valuable CITY INVESTMENT.

FORBES.

The Prize Orchard Property of N.S.W.

PEACH GROVE, Mr. Thomas Tozer's well-known property, fronting the Lachlan River and adjoining the Town of Forbes. Area, 15¼ acres; freehold, rich black soil, river land. 1800 trees in full bearing—pears, peaches, apples, apricots, nectarines, plums, cherries, quinces, &c. 1200 grape vines, choice table kinds; all in full bearing. Five-acre cultivation paddock. One and a half acre horse paddock. Brick dwelling, well furnished Gardener's cottage, hayshed, boathouse. Complete steam irrigation plant, wine cellars, ploughs, implements, and everything necessary for working the property, which is a highly profitable one.

Inspection by intending buyers is necessary to obtain a full knowledge of the capabilities of the property. An ample market for all the produce. The fruit shop in the main street of Forbes will be included in the sale.

FOR AUCTION SALE, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12th, 1902.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

AN ELEVATED AND CONVENIENT POSITION AT STANMORE.

No. 150 STANMORE-ROAD, opposite Newington College.

MUST BE SOLD.

Well-built RESIDENCE, BRUSHGROVE, of brick on stone foundations, containing 8 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, &c., all in perfect order, stables and coachhouse at rear.

LAND 28ft. to STANMORE-ROAD, 22ft. to CAVENDISH-STREET at rear, by through depth of 240ft. Torrens title.

Fine extensive views from the property, known as Mr. James Clark's house, close to Judge Gibson's.

AUCTION SALE, NEXT WEDNESDAY, 12th Feb., 1902.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with Benjamin James, Castlereagh-street), Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street.

Inspection invited.

ESTATE of the Late SIR JOSEPH PALMER ABBOTT, K.C.M.G.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS.

LOT 1.—NORTH SYDNEY (close to the Reserve).—GOOD BUILDING SITE, 114ft. to ROSALIND-STREET, 87ft. 8in. along EDWIN-STREET, being part of Lots 4 and 5, Section 29, of a subdivision. TORRENS TITLE.

LOT 2.—WILLOUGHBY (just off the Willoughby-road).—BLOCK OF LAND, having 80ft. to BORLAISE-STREET, by 140ft. deep. Lots 27 and 28, Section 1, Warrane Estate. TORRENS TITLE.

LOT 3.—LIVERPOOL (¼ interest).—BLOCK OF LAND, 126 acres, Parish of Holdsworthy. Frontage to George's River. TORRENS TITLE.

LOT 4.—WENTWORTH FALLS (3 min. from station, close to the hotel, and adjoining the properties of Messrs. Smidmore and Thompson).—BLOCK OF LAND, 66 ft. to MAIN BATHURST-ROAD, by 335ft. 9in. deep to street at rear. Lots 7 and 8 of a subdivision. TORRENS TITLE.

Plans on view.

Messrs. VINDIN and LITTLEJOHN, Castlereagh-street, Solicitors to the Estate.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the Executors to sell the above by public auction at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 12th FEBRUARY, 1902.

ARTHURSLEIGH,

No. 21 QUEEN-STREET, NEWTOWN,

just off Newtown-road, close to the Electric Tram and Macdonaldtown Railway Station.

DETACHED VILLA RESIDENCE built of stone and brick, slate roof, containing hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, scullery, pantry, &c., at present occupied by Mr. H. A. Holtermann. At rear are 2 coachhouses and 4-stall stables.

Land 40ft. to QUEEN-STREET by 210ft. deep, WIDENING AT THE REAR TO 80ft.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with BENJAMIN JAMES, Castlereagh-street) will sell the above property by Public Auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, 19th FEBRUARY, 1902.

The position is excellent, and inspection is invited.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

ASTOLAT ESTATE, RANDWICK.

EIGHT GOOD BUILDING LOTS,

FRENCHMAN'S-ROAD, CHAPEL-STREET.

Opposite the highly improved properties of W. Whiting, Esq., and E. Rich, Esq., and adjoining Caerleon College.

AUCTION SALE in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, WEDNESDAY, 19th February, 1902, at 11.30 a.m.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

The Title is Torrens, and the Terms ¼ cash, and the balance in 6, 12, and 18 months at 5 per cent. interest.

Lithos on application.

By order of the Mortgagees.

WELLS-STREET, REDFERN.

A grand business position, between REGENT-STREET and the EVELEIGH STATION.

Nos. 85, 87, and 89 WELLS-STREET, 3 Shops and Dwellings, each built of brick, and containing shop, 6 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, &c., all let, and producing a total rental of £184 12s yearly. A FIRST-CLASS AND SAFE INVESTMENT PROPERTY.

Land 42ft. 6in. frontage to Wells-street by a depth of 65ft. Torrens Title.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above Property by public auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, 19th FEBRUARY, 1902.

BY ORDER OF THE SECOND MORTGAGEE.

Suitable for Yachting Men.

WATERSIDE RESIDENCE,

TENNYSON, PARRAMATTA RIVER.

A Quiet Home in a Pretty Locality.

RAVENSWOOD, of brick (cemented), with slate roof, verandahs and balconies front and back, hall, 9 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, washhouse, &c.

Land 60ft. Tennyson-road by a depth of about 200ft. to the waters of PARRAMATTA RIVER (Morrisons Bay).

The Property is close to TENNYSON WHARF, and splendid views up and down the river are obtainable from the house.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above property by Public Auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, 19th FEBRUARY, 1902.

Photo on view.

BY ORDER of the Curator of INTESTATE ESTATES.

VALUABLE CITY BUSINESS PREMISES, No. 254 PITT-STREET, a few feet north of PARK-STREET, the Property for years occupied by Mr. E. Lucas, and adjoining the property of KEARLEY BROS.

The Building is substantially built of Brick, with cement front, and contains shop, 7 rooms and showroom. The LAND has 20ft. frontage to Pitt-street, by a depth of 120ft. TITLE, FREEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at the Sale Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 26th FEBRUARY, 1902,

THE ABOVE-DESCRIBED CITY PROPERTY.

OAKES' GRANT, PENNANT HILLS.

THE PROPERTY OF Dr. MORRIS.

THIS CAPITAL ESTATE, SUBDIVIDED into SUITABLE SIZED BLOCKS, will be OFFERED at AUCTION on the GROUND,

ON AN EARLY DATE.

Title Torrens. Terms will be Liberal.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

Our Board on the land. Plans being prepared.

A. S. GILDER, Esq., Castlereagh-street, Solicitor to the Estate.

SHORT NOTICE.

THURSDAY, 13th FEB.

ANNUAL RENT, £411 4s 8d.

MAGNIFICENT BUSINESS PREMISES,

Situated in the very centre of the city, immediately opposite the Post-office, and under lease and occupied by Messrs. Meyer and Son, who have the largest connection in the city or suburbs.

This is the best investment that can be offered in the State of New South Wales, and would require a capital of £10,000 invested in the very best of securities to produce the rental value.

FINLAY AND CO. have received instructions from Mr. Brooks to sell by auction at their Rooms, Belmore-square,

ON THURSDAY, 13th FEB., at 11 o'clock.

This splendid investment is without doubt one of the very best properties in the city, having all the conveniences requisite for carrying on the magnitude of business that exists.

The premises are stylish, modern, and attractive, and command the pick spot in the city, "good for the next century."

The conveniences comprise splendid front shop, 40ft. by 60ft., and showroom over of like dimensions; also bulk store, 80ft. by 30ft.; wine and spirit store, 8ft. by 30ft.; bulk store, 12ft. by 42ft.; bulk store, upstairs, 30ft. by 42ft.; 6-stall stable, with hay loft; buggy shed; kerosene store; spacious and commodious yard.

The whole having a frontage of 43ft. 8in. to Auburn-street, with right of way from Auburn-street.

Mr. Brook's sole reason for selling is that he has entered into pastoral investments, requiring the use of his capital.

If a purchaser can secure an investment such as this, to carry with it from 7 per cent. to 10 per cent., "a property that can hardly fade in value," surely capital should not remain locked up at 3 per cent., and sometimes nothing.

THE INTENTION IS TO SELL RIGHT AWAY.

TERMS:—One-fourth cash, one-fourth on execution of the conveyance; balance may remain secured for 5 years at 5 per cent.

Solicitors for the property, Messrs. JOHNSON and SENDALL.

FOR SALE.

TUESDAY, MARCH 4th, 2.30 p.m.

THE BLAYNEY MINE, New South Wales.

Comprising 50 Acres Freehold (R.P.A. Title), and situate close to Blayney Station, on the Great Western Railway, New South Wales; together with all Plant, Furnaces, Railway Siding, Trucks, Engines, Boilers, &c., as per inventory.

Under instructions from the Trustees for the Debenture Holders.

MESSRS. JOHNSON and CO., Adelaide, Auctioneers, will offer the above Mine, Plant, &c., by public auction at TOWN HALL, ADELAIDE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, on TUESDAY, 4th MARCH, 1902, at 2.30 p.m.

Particulars can be obtained and inventory inspected at the offices of:—

Messrs. MINTER, SIMPSON, and CO., Solicitors, Sydney;

Messrs. MALLESON, ENGLAND, and STEWART, Solicitors, Melbourne;

Messrs. BAKER and BARLOW, Solicitors, Adelaide;

The TRUSTEES' REPRESENTATIVE, Blayney, N.S.W.

THIS AFTERNOON, Vaucluse Land Sale. Free tickets for steamer. Richardson and Wrench, Ltd.

RAINE AND HORNE, 86 PITT-STREET, AUCTIONEERS, LAND AND ESTATE AGENTS, AND VALUATORS.

SALES OF CITY AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES EFFECTED BY AUCTION AND BY PRIVATE TREATY.

VALUATIONS FOR PROBATE AND OTHER PURPOSES.

Rents Collected.

General Supervision of Estates undertaken.

MANLY.

BY ORDER OF THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Limited, EXECUTORS IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE T. H. KELLY.

ELEVEN MAGNIFICENT BUSINESS SITES, IN THE CENTRE OF THE CORSO.

The Land is situated between DARLEY-ROAD AND THE STEYNE, and has been subdivided into SUITABLE ALLOTMENTS.

FOR SALE IN SUBDIVISION ON THE GROUND THIS DAY, at 3 p.m.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

TERMS:—One quarter cash. The balance in three equal annual instalments with interest at five per cent. per annum.

RAINE and HORNE (in conjunction with H. TOWNSEND RORBY) have received instructions from THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, LIMITED, to offer the above valuable BUSINESS SITES.

FOR SALE IN SUBDIVISION ON THE GROUND.

NEUTRAL BAY.

GLASLYN,

a detached family residence, standing upon land having an area of about ⅔-acre, with extensive frontage to KURRABA-ROAD, and running back to the waters of SHELL COVE.

The HOUSE is substantially constructed of brick on stone foundation, slate roof, with wide verandah front and side, and contains wide hall, dining-room, drawing-room, 8 bedrooms, dressing-room, servant's room, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, &c., and man's room.

On the WATER FRONTAGE is a boatshed and a bathing-house, strongly enclosed with iron railings.

The Grounds have been MOST TASTEFULLY LAID OUT with every regard to the BEAUTY OF THE SITUATION, and the outlook from the property cannot be excelled. GRASS TENNIS COURT, in first-class order.

The TITLE is LEASEHOLD, having about 45 years still to run at a Ground Rent of only £3 per annum.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 20th February, at 11.30 a.m.

This PROPERTY is in EXCELLENT ORDER, and occupies one of the most desirable positions on the SHORES of the HARBOUR.

WAVERLEY,

WOODSTOCK-STREET, WITHIN A FEW MINUTES' WALK OF BONDI JUNCTION.

The Land has a frontage of about 20ft. to WOODSTOCK-STREET, by a depth of about 160ft. through to a lane at the rear.

On it is a Dwelling, No. 42 WOODSTOCK-STREET, known as HALKIRK, built of brick, front cemented and painted, slate roof, balcony and tiled verandah, and containing hall, 4 large rooms, kitchen, washhouse, and stable.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 20th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.

MOSMAN.

RAGLAN-STREET, between M'LEOD and ILLAWARRA STREETS.

RAINE and HORNE have received instructions to subdivide and sell in allotments that desirable block HAVING A FRONTAGE TO LITTLE SIRIUS COVE, and containing an AREA OF ABOUT 9 ACRES.

THIS IS THE ONLY BLOCK AVAILABLE FOR SUBDIVISION IN THIS CHOICE LOCALITY, AND IS SURROUNDED BY HIGH-CLASS RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES.

The bulk of the allotments will have depths of 400ft.

The Estate is now being SUBDIVIDED by Messrs. FISHER and NOTT, and a PLAN of the Subdivision can be seen at the OFFICES of the AUCTIONEERS at an early date.

RAINE and HORNE will sell in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, by Public Auction, on THURSDAY, 20th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.

CHATSWOOD,

IN FULLER'S-ROAD.

Close to the RAILWAY STATION and GORDON-ROAD.

A NEW DETACHED BRICK VILLA, TUCK-POINTED FRONT, TILED ROOF, CAVITY WALLS, VERANDAH IN FRONT, and containing 7 ROOMS, KITCHEN, BATHROOM, PANTRY, WASHHOUSE, &c.

The Land has a frontage of about 50ft. by a depth of about 180ft., the rear line being about 70ft.

RAINE and HORNE have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 20th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.

THIS PROPERTY HAS ONLY JUST BEEN COMPLETED, AND IS IN FIRST-CLASS ORDER. IT IS LET ON A MONTHLY TENANCY AT £52 PER ANNUM.

MOSMAN.

HOLT'S ESTATE.

ADJOINING THE RANGER'S ESTATE, and situated between SPOFFORTH-STREET and COWLES-ROAD.

UNDOUBTEDLY THE PICKED POSITION IN MOSMAN, AND CLOSE TO THE ELECTRIC TRAM AND STEAMERS' WHARF.

RAINE and HORNE have received instructions from the owner to SUBDIVIDE this Block, consisting of 30 acres, and known as JAMES HOLT'S GRANT

THE PROPERTY WILL BE OFFERED AT PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND, ON SATURDAY, 1st MARCH, 1902, in subdivision, and easy terms will be given.

Lithos in course of preparation.

Full particulars will appear at an early date.

RAINE and HORNE, Auctioneers, 86 Pitt-street.

BUILDING MATERIAL.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 20th FEBRUARY, 1902, at 11.30 A.M.,

ALL THE BUILDING MATERIAL comprised in the QUATRE BRAS WOOLSCOURING WORKS, situated in PECK'S-LANE, ALEXANDRIA.

RAINE AND HORNE, AUCTIONEERS.

Mr. Slade at the Works will show intending Purchasers the Material for Sale.

WATERLOO.

LOT 3, SECTION "B," of the ZETLAND ESTATE, having a frontage of 16ft. 6in. to BOURKE-STREET, WATERLOO, by a depth of 100ft.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 20th FEBRUARY, 1902, at 11.30 A.M.

RAINE and HORNE, Auctioneers.

THE EXTENSION OF THE TRAM NOW BEING CARRIED OUT WILL ALMOST PASS THIS LAND.

By Order of the Trustees in a Deceased Estate.

MARRICKVILLE,

MEEK'S-ROAD.

ON AN ELEVATED SITE AND CLOSE TO THE TRAM, THAT COMMODIOUS AND SUBSTANTIALLY CONSTRUCTED COTTAGE, GERALDINE,

containing 8 rooms and all domestic offices, and standing on land having a frontage of about 333ft. to MEEK'S-ROAD by a depth of 284ft. through to GERALD-STREET.

TORRENS TITLE.

Immediate possession can be obtained.

RAINE and HORNE have been instructed to sell the above Property by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 20th INSTANT, at 11.30 A.M.

TELEPHONETTES and Microphone work a speciality. Osborn and Jordan, Electrics., 393 Geo.-st. T., 2168.

CREMORNE ESTATE,

situated between MOSMAN and NEUTRAL BAYS.

One of the Choicest Unsubdivided Positions on the NORTHERN SHORES OF THE HARBOUR, and comprising some of the most Beautiful and Desirable RESIDENTIAL SITES ever offered to Public Competition in this FAVOURITE SUBURB.

THE ESTATE IS CONVENIENT TO THE CITY, BEING SERVED BY THE COMMODIOUS AND SPEEDY FERRY BOATS RUNNING TO

MOSMAN'S BAY.

Messrs. HOWARD and CLARKE have subdivided the property into liberal sized allotments with frontages to SPOFFORTH-STREET and CREMORNE-ROAD, and Lithos can now be obtained upon application to the Auctioneers.

EASY ACCESS TO EVERY PORTION OF THE ESTATE WILL BE PROVIDED, AS THE ROADS ARE NOW BEING MADE.

THE CONTINUOUS PROGRESS OF MOSMAN'S and its immediate vicinity must ensure a SUBSTANTIAL AND EARLY PROFIT to all buyers of land in this locality.

TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS: 10 per cent. Deposit, Balance in 36 equal monthly instalments bearing interest at five per centum per annum, payable quarterly.

FOR SALE, ON THE GROUND, at 3 p.m.,

SATURDAY, 22nd FEBRUARY, 1902.

RAINE and HORNE (in conjunction with BATT RODD, and PURVES, Ltd.), Auctioneers.

MANLY.

FAIRLIGHT ESTATE.

THIS WELL-KNOWN AND BEAUTIFUL PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD IN SUBDIVISION BY PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE GROUND,

SATURDAY, 1st MARCH, AT 3 P.M.

It has been liberally subdivided into allotments, commanding a perfect panorama of UNSURPASSINGLY CHARMING VIEWS OF THE OCEAN AND THE HARBOUR.

SEVERAL OF THE ALLOTMENTS ARE PRACTICALLY WATER FRONTAGES, BEING ONLY SEPARATED FROM THE FORESHORES BY THE 100FT. GOVERNMENT RESERVE KNOWN AS COMMONWEALTH PARADE.

The new road from Sydney to Manly passes through the centre of this Estate, the old Sydney-road being on the northern boundary.

THE EXTENSION OF THE MOSMAN'S ELECTRIC TRAM TO THE SPIT HAS BROUGHT MANLY INTO MUCH CLOSER TOUCH WITH THE CITY, AND THE PROPOSED EXTENSION TO MANLY WILL PROBABLY PASS THROUGH THE ESTATE.

TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS:—10 per cent. Deposit and the balance in 36 equal monthly instalments bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable quarterly.

RAINE AND HORNE, Auctioneers.

WOOLLAHRA.

LOGAN ESTATE.

FRONTAGES to the OLD SOUTH HEAD-ROAD and VICTORIA-ROAD, and adjoining LOGAN BRAE, for some time past the Residence of Sir William M'Millan.

EIGHT CHOICE and ELEVATED BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, surrounded by good Residential Properties, and within easy access of the tram.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

TERMS: One Quarter Cash, Balance in Twelve equal quarterly payments with Interest at Five per cent. per annum, payable quarterly.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND,

SATURDAY, 8th MARCH, at 3 p.m.

RAINE and HORNE, Auctioneers.

Solicitors to the Estate, Messrs. MACNAMARA and SMITH.

ON THE HEIGHTS OF WOOLLAHRA.

BELLEVUE HILL ESTATE,

situated between KAMBALA-ROAD and BELLEVUE-ROAD, and within a short distance of the ELECTRIC TRAM, and only TWENTY MINUTES from GENERAL POST OFFICE.

The Estate has been Subdivided with every regard to its ELEVATED and BEAUTIFUL SITUATION, and the EXTENDED and CHARMING OUTLOOKS to be obtained from it.

The owners are determined that every facility for BUILDING OPERATIONS shall be afforded to Buyers, and they are now constructing the roads.

GAS, CITY WATER, and SEWERAGE MAINS SURROUND THE ESTATE.

TORRENS TITLE. EXTENDED TERMS. CONVENIENT ACCESS.

Lithos in Course of Preparation.

FOR SALE ON THE GROUND, AT 3 P.M., SATURDAY, 15th MARCH, 1902.

RAINE and HORNE, Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

WOOLLAHRA.

ROSE BAY PARK SUBDIVISION, OPPOSITE LYNE PARK, and with EXTENSIVE FRONTAGES to NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD, NEWCASTLE-STREET, and DOVER-ROAD.

EXCELLENT BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, within Easy Access of the City, as the Electric Tram Passes the Estate.

Lithos in course of preparation.

TERMS extending over 5 years, with interest at 5 per cent. per annum.

RAINE AND HORNE WILL SELL ON THE GROUND, ON SATURDAY, 22nd MARCH, 1902, AT 3 P.M.

Intending purchasers will please note that the sale has been unavoidably postponed from the 8th March to the 22nd March.

BOTANY, BUTLER'S SUBDIVISION,

Having Frontages to the main Botany-road and Bay-street.

The Last Chance to Secure BUSINESS SITES in the centre of this thriving Suburb—the New Birmingham of Australia.

For AUCTION SALE on the GROUND, SATURDAY, the 15th February, at 3.30 p.m.

Plans and full particulars from ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON, AUCTIONEER, Stock Exchange Building, 113 Pitt-street.

PROPERTY SALE.

NARRANDERA.—To Brewers and others. Larmer-street, THE ROYAL HOTEL, containing 38 rooms, kit., stables, and all offices and conveniences, together with a Brick Store, land 2 acres. Freehold title.

HURSTVILLE, Bellevue-parade.—W.B. COTTAGE, 4 rooms and outhouses, land 60 x 119ft. 6in. to a lane at the rear, nice garden, city water, Torrens title. Terms can be arranged.

BOTANY.—An excellent Building SITE, having 80ft. frontage to Chelmsford-avenue by a through depth of 354ft. to Folkestone-parade, to which the frontage is 80ft. 10in., being lots 6 and 7 and 23 and 24 of the Sandgate Estate. Title Freehold.

BELMORE, George-street.—10 Acres of excellent Agricultural LAND, adjoining Mr. Aaron Brown's grocery store, all fenced and cleared, with a Slab Building thereon. Torrens title.

BEXLEY, Connemarra-street, close to station.—W.B. COTTAGE, 2 rooms and brick chimney, land 66 x 200. Torrens title.

CROYDON.—An excellent Building SITE, having 200ft. frontage to Croydon-avenue by a depth of 330ft. Torrens title.

KOGARAH.—LAND having 35ft. 6in. to Kingsgrove-road by a depth of 125ft., near Grosvenor-street; also Lots 14 and 15, having 60ft. frontage to Railway-parade by depths of 102ft. and 98ft., being part of the Railway Estate.

ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON has received instructions to offer the above at the Rooms, 113 Pitt-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 20th February, at 11.30 a.m.

MICK SIMMONS for 1s Ticket Band Contest Art Union, drawn February 28th. 175 prizes, value £775.

MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For Sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

THIS AFTERNOON, Vaucluse Land Sale. Free tickets for steamer. Richardson and Wrench, Ltd.

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In the Estate of the late Hon. S. A. Stephen.

By order of the Executors.

CLEARANCE SALE OF VALUABLE SUBURBAN FREEHOLDS.

DULWICH HILL.

1.—ST. JAMES'S-TERRACE, 7 Houses of brick, slate and iron roofs, each containing balcony and verandah, half hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, on Land having frontage to LIVINGSTONE-ROAD 101ft., depth 135ft. upwards.

2.—ROCKDALE, LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH. HASTINGS ESTATE—Section 1, Lots 26 to 28 and 34 to 31. Section 2, Lots 24 to 29. Section 3, Lots 22 to 27. In area about 5¼ acres.

3.—ALEXANDRIA, Cooper Estate, subdivision of, EUSTON-STREET, frontage about 340ft., by depth to lane at rear, being Lots 60 to 80 on plan.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited (with S. T. RODD) will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, February 18th, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above.

Particulars of rents, &c., may be obtained, and plans viewed at the Rooms of the Auctioneers.

Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN, O'Connell-street, are Solicitors of the Estate.

SMALL CITY INVESTMENT,

convenient to the GOVERNMENT IMPROVEMENTS now being vigorously carried out in the near neighbourhood.

No. 50 FOSTER-STREET, a Brick House of 4 rooms, &c., on land 12ft. 7in. x 43ft. Rent 10s per week.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will sell the above by order of the Mortgagee by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.

Messrs. ANDREWS, MOSELEY, and MANNING, Moore-street, are Solicitors for the Mortgagee.

JOHNSTONE'S BAY, BALMAIN.

A WHARF and FACTORY SITE, or Subdivision into RESIDENTIAL ALLOTMENTS.

CROOK'S ESTATE, area about 2½ acres.

Frontages to ADOLPHUS-STREET, GRAFTON-STREET, and to the DEEP WATER of Darling Harbour.

To Close Accounts, by Order of the Trustees.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd., will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, ON AN EARLY DATE,

The above GRAND WATER-FRONTAGE BLOCK.

Full particulars in later advertisements. Meantime plans may be seen and all information obtained on application to the Auctioneers.

CLEARANCE SALE of COUNTRY LANDS.

BY ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the late JACOB MOHR.

THIRLMERE.—EXCELLENT DAIRY FARM, 100 acres, 2 miles from THIRLMERE STATION, all fenced; 5 acres orchard and 30 acres cleared. BUILDINGS comprise slab house, 6 rooms, stable, stockyard, and outbuildings, suitable for dairying. The Farm adjoins Mr. WM. BARKER'S property, and is well worth inspection.

PICTON.

BOONSHILL ESTATE.—CAPITAL BLOCK of 69¾ acres, GREAT SOUTHERN-ROAD, all fenced, cleared, stockyard, &c. Lots 27 to 29, 30, and 31, known as Mr. ROFE'S PROPERTY.

PICTON.—COULLS ESTATE.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

ONE-THIRD UNDIVIDED INTEREST in the following unsold lots, or proceeds of same:—Sec. 1, Lots 1 to 4, 9 to 11, 18 to 21, 33 to 35, 75 and 76; Sec. 2, Lots 12 to 26, 30 to 45, and 69 to 99; and 43¼ acres at KANGALOON.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will offer the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at THE GEORGE INN, PICTON, on SATURDAY, 1st MARCH, at 2 p.m.

Further particulars on application to the Auctioneers.

SPRINGWOOD.

THE PERFECTION of our MOUNTAIN RESORTS, being over 1200ft. above Sea Level, where the most equable climate throughout the year in Australia is obtainable.

ON THE MAIN ROAD—SPRINGWOOD to the noted "LOOKOUT," commanding Magnificent Panoramic Views of the NEPEAN and HAWKESBURY VALLEYS, and distant but 3 miles from Railway Station by Splendid ROAD, the undermentioned BLOCKS, viz.:—

ON SOUTH SIDE.—PARISH of NEPEAN, COUNTY COOK:

Portion 9.—In Area 100 Acres, fenced and improved, on which is a PUBLIC SCHOOL (at nominal ground rent), COTTAGE—verandah, 5 Rooms, Kitchen, and outbuildings, in Area about 50 acres, laid out in ornamental grounds, Orchard, and Paddocks COTTAGE of Slab, iron roof, 4 Rooms, and shed, in area about 1 acre, presently let at 10s per week.

Portion 8.—Adjoining Lot 9, in Area 180 acres, all fenced, and a large portion cleared. A beautiful undulating site, having an immense FRONTAGE to ROAD.

ON NORTHERN SIDE.

Portion 6. Area 60 acres.
" 14. Area 111¼ acres.
" 15. Area 40 acres.
Part of 121. Area 2 acres.

Out of the above portion 45 acres out of lots 6 and 14 have been sold, and on which are the Residence and grounds of the late Revd. Canon Corlette. The other improvements are fencing, on certain boundaries.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd., are instructed to offer by Public Auction, in order to close the Estate, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, the 18th FEBRUARY, at 11.30,

THE WHOLE of the ABOVE Valuable MOUNTAIN PROPERTIES.

TO SEARCHERS AFTER HEALTH and those requiring change from Sea Air, the above are strongly recommended as well worthy of attention.

ARTARMON, N. S. RAILWAY LINE.

ARTARMON ESTATE No. 1.—Lot 2, Section 1, 44ft. to HAMPDEN-STREET, depth 158ft. to 20ft. lane; also Lots 28 and 29, Sec. 1; each 40ft. to JERSEY-ROAD, depth 150ft. to lane. The Allotments are right at the Station, EXCELLENT SITES, and on the best side of the line.

NORTH SYDNEY.

PRINCES ESTATE, just off Blue's Point-road.—Lots 21 and 30, 29ft. frontage to QUEEN'S-AVENUE, depth about 125ft. LOVELY VIEW of the HARBOUR. Convenient to M'MAHON'S POINT Ferry or Tram.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd., will submit to PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.

The above excellent Building Sites. Torrens title.

PITTWATER and MANLY.

ABSOLUTE SALE.

By Order of the Surviving Trustee of THE BASSETT-DARLEY ESTATE and the Administratrix of the late BENJAMIN WENTWORTH DARLEY.

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Lot 17—Area 5 acres, frontage to STUART-ROAD
Lot 30—Area 5 acres, frontage to BALGOWLAH-ROAD
Lot 45—Area 5 acres, frontage to KENNETH-STREET.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 18th FEBRUARY, at 11.30 a.m.

PLANS ON VIEW.

Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN, Solicitors, O'Connell-street, will supply all information as to title.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

By order of the Trustees of the School of Industry.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Ltd., will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, ON AN EARLY DATE.

DARLINGHURST.—That MAGNIFICENT BLOCK, having frontages to DARLINGHURST-ROAD and Victoria-street respectively, with that substantial building thereon, suitable for private hospital, boarding-house, &c., leaving large frontages for erection of good terrace houses.

PARRAMATTA.—A CENTRAL TOWN SITE, having frontage to MACQUARIE-STREET.

More full particulars in later advertisements. Meantime all information from the Auctioneers, or from Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN, O'Connell-street, Solicitors to the Trustees.

HOBART.

IMPORTANT LAND SALE on 27th FEBRUARY.

Estates of Samuel Moses and Mrs. Rosetta Moses, deceased.

EXTENSIVE and VALUABLE CITY and SUBURBAN PROPERTIES, including BOA VISTA, comprising 14 acres of Land and numerous Villa Sites and Building Allotments. Attention of speculators, investors, and persons intending to make their home in Hobart is called to this sale.

Full particulars in Hobart Mercury Saturdays.

BURN and SON, Auctioneers, Elizabeth-street, Hobart.

HOTEL.—ROYAL HOTEL, ALBURY.—For SALE by Auction, at the Albury Hotel, Albury, on SATURDAY, 15th February, at noon. Will be sold as Freehold, with Furniture, as a going concern. For further particulars apply to auctioneers, CHAS. L. GRIFFITH and CO., Albury.

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Funerals.

SIMPSON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. STEPHEN JOHN SIMPSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved infant DAUGHTER, Sylvia Rebecca, to leave their residence, Moore Abbey Villa, Victoria-street, Waverley, THIS (Saturday) morning, at 9.30, for Waverley Cemetery. W. CARTER, Undertaker.

NUGENT.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. NUGENT are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved SON, William Walter; to leave Lily Isle, Station-street, Arncliffe, THIS DAY, at 12 p.m., for the Necropolis, via Newtown station.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Central Office, 812 George-street;
Tel., 424, &c. Main Depot, Harris-street.

GREENHILL.—The Friends of the late Mr. THOMAS GREENHILL are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Somerset Villa, 142 Lambert-road, Marrickville, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown.
CHAS. KINSELA, Funeral Director,
Tel., 905 city. 765 George-street, opp. Christ Church.

GREENHILL.—The Friends of Mr. JOHN THOMAS GREENHILL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER, Thomas; to move from his late residence, Somerset Villa, 142 Enmore-road, Marrickville, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery, via Newtown.

HUNTER.—The Relatives and Friends of the late Mr. MICHAEL HUNTER are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral, which will move from his late residence, No. 60 Carlisle-street, Leichhardt, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock punctually, for Petersham station, and thence to Necropolis.
WOOD and COMPANY,
Tele., 726, &c. Undertakers and Embalmers.

HUNTER.—The Officers and Brethren of L.O.L. 186, Leichhardt, are requested to attend the Funeral of our late Brother, MICHAEL HUNTER, which will move from his late residence, No. 60 Carlisle-street, Leichhardt, THIS AFTERNOON, Saturday, at half-past 1 o'clock, for the Necropolis, via Petersham stn. David Lane.

METROPOLITAN VOLUNTEER FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.—Members of all Volunteer Fire Brigades are requested to attend the Funeral of their late Comrade, Fireman M. HUNTER, of the Leichhardt Brigade, to take place THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON; to leave his late residence, Carlisle-street, Leichhardt, at 1.30 p.m. E. J. LOVE, President.
GEORGE T. BROADHURST, Secretary.

ROYAL STANDARD LODGE, U.A.O.D., Leichhardt.—Members of the above Lodge and the Order are requested to attend the Funeral of their late Bro. MICHAEL HUNTER, P.A.; to leave his late residence, Carlisle-street, Leichhardt, at half-past 1 o'clock THIS DAY, Saturday. M. P. LEAHY, A.D.; F. J. ALCOCK, Sec.

LEICHHARDT VOL. FIRE BRIGADE.—The Members and Friends of the above Brigade are requested to attend the Funeral of their late comrade, Fireman M. HUNTER; to leave his late residence, 60 Carlisle-street, Leichhardt, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30.

RAISON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT HENRY RAISON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Harriett; to move from her residence, 9 Wilmot-street, city, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the C. E. Cemetery, Necropolis.
WALTER STEWART and SON, Undertakers,
Tel., 1544. 129 Bathurst-street.

RAISON.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD WILLIAM are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Harriett Raison; to move from her residence, 9 Wilmot-street, city, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the C.E. Cemetery, Necropolis.
WALTER STEWART and SON,
Undertakers,
Tel., 1544. 129 Bathurst-street.

POOLE.—The Friends of the late W. T. POOLE, Esq., are kindly informed that his Funeral will leave his late residence, Hampden, Pitt-street, Redfern, THIS AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis.
J. MEDCALF, Undertaker,
Redfern.

THE Aldermen and Officers of the Borough of Redfern are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of the late Ex-alderman W. T. POOLE; which will move from his residence, 87 Pitt-street, Redfern, at 1.45 THIS AFTERNOON, for the Necropolis. The aldermen will walk in procession to the Mortuary.
R. W. GRIERSON,
T.C.

NANCE.—The Funeral of the late Miss AMY GRACE NANCE will leave her grandfather's (James Bennett) residence, St. Just, West-street, Petersham, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Petersham Station, and thence to Necropolis.
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CRIPPS.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. ANNIE CRIPPS will move from the residence of her daughter (Mrs. Jordan Sparks), Acacia-street, Parramatta, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for the Wesleyan Cemetery, Rookwood.

CUSHLEY.—The Relatives and Friends of Mr. JOHN CUSHLEY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE; to leave 277 Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Waverley R. C. Cemetery. W. J. DIXON and CO., 120 Oxford-street, 183 George-street West.

CUSHLEY.—The Friends of Mrs. MARY CLARKE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her dearly beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Anne Cushley; to leave 277 Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Waverley R. C. Cemetery. W. J. DIXON and CO., 120 Oxford-street, 183 George-street West.

CLOUDY.—The remains of the late JACOB CLOUDY will leave his residence, Wyoming, Harris-road, Five Dock, THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Enfield Cemetery. HENRY HART and SON, Undertakers, Ashfield and Burwood.

LEFEBVRE.—The Friends of the late Mrs. ANNE GOASTON LEFEBVRE are informed that her Funeral will leave her daughter's residence, Invermay, New Canterbury-road, Petersham, TO-MORROW (Sunday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for Waverley Cemetery.
WOOD and COMPANY,
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YORK.—The Funeral of the late Mr. ORMOND YORK will leave No. 16 Alfred-street, Rozelle, TO-MORROW AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Balmain Cemetery.
ERNEST ANDREWS and CO.,
17 Mary-street, Newtown.

THE Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ALFRED BROWN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved Infant DAUGHTER, Jessie Alexander; to move from their residence, Market-street, Randwick, SUNDAY, at 3.15 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.

THE Friends of Mr. W. ALEXANDER and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved GRANDDAUGHTER and NIECE, Jessie A. Brown; to move from her parents' residence, Market-street, Randwick, SUNDAY, at 3.15 p.m., for Waverley Cemetery.

THE Friends of Mrs. J. C. FISCHER and FAMILY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved SON and BROTHER, Albert (Tots); to move from his late residence, Brooklyn, Grosvenor-street, Randwick, TO-MORROW (Sunday), at 3.30, for Waverley Cemetery. W. CARTER, Undertaker.

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FOR SALE, Speedwell BICYCLE, Model B, 6 months' wear, price £10. J. Fleming, 91 Bank-st., N. Sydney.

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SALE, Gent.'s Red Bird, special, perfect order, brake, bell lamp, tools, bargain. 104 The Strand.

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PONGEE Muslins, splendid for Summer, 3s 3d the Dress, at Edward Hordern's, 668 George-st.

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LEFT-OFF CLOTHING.—Large or small lots wanted for export, extreme value given; also Rugs, Trunks, Linen, Gold, Silver, Plate, Articles of every description Bought. All articles bought separately. Letters and telegrams receive prompt attention. Distance no object.
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MRS. and Miss Lewis, Buyers of Left-off Clothing, in or out of repair. Letters attended. 92 Geo.-st. W.

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WANTED to Buy, a Repeating RIFLE, 32 bore preferred. W. F., 31 Edgecliff-rd., Woollahra.

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WANTED, 3000 good Second-hand BRICKS. State price to G. Young, 107 Darlington-rd., Dar'ton.

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9.30	10.15	10.15
10	11.15	11
10.30	2.45	12.15
11	Return to	2
11.45	6 p.m.	4.30
12.30		5
2.30		5.30
2		6
3.30		6.30

RETURN FARE, 6d; CHILDREN, 3d.
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NELSON'S STEAMERS LADY HAMPDEN, GUTHRIE leave Circular Quay every Sunday at 10, 11 a.m., 2.30, 3, and 8 p.m. for PEARL BAY, THE SPIT, FLAT ROCK, and BANTRY BAY, returning every hour from 11 a.m. First-class Concert on Steamer Lady Hampden 3 and 8 p.m. trips. Efficient artists engaged under the sole conductorship of Mr. T. A. RICKETTS. Merry-go-rounds, Swings, Summer-houses, tabling and seating accommodation for thousands, hot and cold water ALL FREE. The length of journey, the beauty of scenery, the civility and attention of the management, and the price charged for the return fare cannot be beaten anywhere. Luncheons and refreshments at Sydney prices.
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SYDNEY FERRIES, LIMITED.
PARRAMATTA RIVER SERVICE,
Foot of King-street.
TIME-TABLE
on and from
MONDAY, 11th NOVEMBER, 1901.
FROM SYDNEY (Sundays and Holidays Excepted).
Steamers leave Sydney for all Wharfs:—
To HUNTER'S HILL.—6.0 a.m., 7.0, 7.55, 8.50, 9.0, 9.15, 10.0, 10.30, 11.0, 12.0*, 12.30*, 1.0*, 2.0, 2.30†, 3.0, 3.30, 4.20, 4.40, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 7.0, 8.0, 8.50, 10.0, 10.30, 11.20.
To GLADESVILLE.—7.0, 7.55, 9.0, 9.15, 10.0, 10.30, 11.0, 12.0*, 12.30*, 1.0*, 2.0, 2.30, 3.0, 4.20, 4.40, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 7.0, 8.0, 8.50, 10.0, 11.20.
To RYDE.—7.0, 9.0, 9.15, 10.0, 11.0, 12.0*, 1.0*, 2.0, 3.0, 4.20, 5.15, 6.15, 7.0, 8.0, 8.50, 10.0, 10.30, 11.20.
To PARRAMATTA.—7.0, 9.0, 11.0, 1.0, 3.0, 5.15.
*On SATURDAY will leave at 12.15, 12.45, and 1.15 respectively, running 15 min. later throughout.
RETURNING
AT FREQUENT INTERVALS.
See Time Table on Wharfs.
SUNDAY TIME-TABLE.
From SYDNEY to all Wharfs to PARRAMATTA.—Every hour from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., then 9 p.m.
From Sydney to all Wharfs as far as RYDE.—8 a.m. to 8 p.m., then 9.15 and 10.30 p.m.
All Wharfs to GLADESVILLE.—Every hour from 8 a.m. till 8 p.m., then 9.15, 9.45, and 10.30.
All Wharfs from HUNTER'S HILL.—From 8 a.m. till 8 p.m., then 9.15, 9.45, and 10.30.
RETURNING
AT FREQUENT INTERVALS.
See Time Table on Wharfs.
Circular Quay. W. G. TODD, Manager.

SYDNEY FERRIES, LIMITED.
NOTICE.
ON and AFTER MONDAY NEXT, 10th FEBRUARY,
the STEAMERS for
MOSMAN BAY and NEUTRAL BAY
will run to and from
NO. 3 JETTY, CIRCULAR QUAY.
W. G. TODD, Manager.

LANE COVE RIVER AND HUNTER'S HILL STEAMER SERVICE.—On and After MONDAY, 3rd February, 1902.
RIVER WHARFS, Saturdays, Sundays, and Holidays excepted.
FROM SYDNEY, foot of Erskine-street.—A.M., 6, 7, 7.30, *8.5, 8.45, 9.20, 10, 11, 12. 1.15 p.m., 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.55, 6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.20.
River Wharfs, SATURDAYS.
FROM SYDNEY, foot of Erskine-street.—A.M., 6, 7, 7.30, *8.5, 8.45, 9.20, 10, 11, 12.15, 1.15 p.m., 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.20.
All Wharfs, SUNDAYS.
FROM SYDNEY, foot of Erskine-street.—A.M., 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 1 p.m., 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15.
WOOLWICH AND GREENWICH WHARFS,
Saturdays, Sundays, and Holidays excepted.
FROM SYDNEY, foot of Erskine-street.—A.M., 6, +6.30, 7, 7.30, 8.5, 8.30, 9.10, 9.40, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30, 12, 12.30, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.17, 5.55, 6.17, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.20.
SATURDAYS.
FROM SYDNEY, foot of Erskine-street.—6, +6.30, 7, 7.30, 8.5, 8.30, 9.10, 9.40, 10, 10.30, 11, 11.30, 12.15, 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.20.
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KURNELL. SUNDAY TRIPS.
Captain Cook's Landing Place.
S.S. FEDERAL leaves Lady Robinson's Beach 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 2.45 p.m., calling Botany Pier.
Return fare, 1s; Children, 6d.

S.S. TORGAUTEN, from Fredrikstad.—Captain Herman Aas will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his crew without his written authority. OLAV E. PAUSS, Agent.

FREIGHT Explosives, Queensland, New Guinea, end month. William Douglas, 4 Queen's-court.

BARQUE DUNEEGGAN, from NEW YORK.
ALL CLAIMS and ACCOUNTS against the inward Cargo of this Vessel must be rendered in duplicate to the undersigned by noon TO-DAY, Saturday, otherwise they will not be recognised.
HENRY W. PEABODY and CO.,
Agents,
9 Bridge-street.

LADIES' Cambric SHIRTS, very special, 2s 11d, newest shapes. Edward Hordern's, Brickfield-hill.

CEDAR SKIFF for SALE, 17ft., price £2. Apply J. Gammie, Ady-st., Hunter's Hill.

DIVING GEAR, Siebe and Gorman's best. Hodge and Zlotkowski, 112 Sussex-st.

FOR SALE or HIRE, BOATS, cheap, gear complete, T. Steel, Glebe Point Boat-shed.

FOR SALE, suit SAILS, 23ft. boom, ballooner, topsail, mast, spars, gear, comp., chp. 15 Bridge-rd., P'mont.

FOR SALE or CHARTER, S.S. Clyde, certificate, 240 adults. J. Allan, 242 Sussex-st. Tel., 508.

FOR Sale or Freight, the Ketch Rebecca, 54 tons register, appointment by letter. Matson, National Park.

LACE Collarettes, in great variety, special shapes, from 1s. Edward Hordern's, 668 George-st.

FOR Sale, 10-ton KETCH, good sailer, sound order, suit island trade, £80. 227 Sussex-st.

FOR SALE, SCHOONER, suitable island or coasting trade. Partic., A. Willis, c.o. A. Burns, 78 Eliz.-st.

FOR SALE, cheap, 8ft. DINGY, sails, gear, complete, bargain, must sell. 31 Harris-st., Pyrmont.

FOR SALE, 14ft. Racing Dingy Pastime, sails and gear complete. L. O'Toole, 14 Rose-st., Balmain.

FOR SALE, 2 cedar SKIFFS, 1 centreboard, 1 suit sails, cheap. O. Taylor, 31 Lower Bayview-st., Lav. Bay.

FOR SALE Half-rater, English built, mahogany, splendid order, fast. Wrixon, Willoughby-st., N. Shore.

FOR SALE, YACHT, Empress, late Miranda, cabin fittings, skylights, underline w.c., ports, pumps, iron rails, &c., very cheap; a large quantity of new spruce Rickers. W. M. FORD, Berry's Bay. Tel., 59 N.S.

FOR SALE by Auction, at Hobart, February 17th.—On account of Messrs. Bowser and Co., new stern SCOW, Marie Corelli. Photo and details from
H. A. MICHAEL, 77 Pitt-street.

LADIES' KID GLOVES, special line, 1s 11d, all colours, at Edward Hordern's, 668 Brickfield-hill.

TO-DAY. SPECIAL LINES.
MELBOURNE STOCK AND FAIR GOODS.
C. G. HATTE,
as previously announced, having purchased for cash the STOCK OF A VICTORIAN MANUFACTURER, has "pooled" the purchase with the balance of goods left after the Fair, and offers the "pool" to the LADIES OF THE STATE to finish the game.
A FEW LINES WORTH ATTENTION:—

	Worth. s d	Fair Price. s d
Fancy Blouse Silks, 91 pcs.	2 11	0 11¾
Shanghai Silks (coloured), 57 pcs.	1 11	0 11¾
Nun's Veiling, All wool, 74 pcs.	1 4½	0 8¾
French Floral Muslins, 113 pcs.	0 7½	0 3¾
Wale Oriental Lace, over 12,000 yards	0 8½	0 2¾
Ladies' Black Hose, 900 doz.	0 10½	0 5¾
Pure Silk Shirts, 155 doz., we offer at		5 11
Mercerised Fashion Shirts, 211 doz. we offer at		4 6
Fancy Zephyr Shirts, 304 doz., we offer at		2 11½
Coloured Stripe Cotton Shirts, 318 doz. we offer at		1 4½

20 cases Boys' Speckled Straw Hats, silk bands, 4½d.
950 doz. Fancy Derby Scarves, new designs, 3¾d.
A great variety of MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING at equally low rates.
Our whole stock of MILLINERY and UNDERCLOTHING is re-marked at prices never before approached.
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FOR SALE in New Zealand the following Steamers:—
S.S. MAORI, 174 tons G.R., 118 N.R., about 200 tons cubic capacity, with 20 tons bunker space; draft loaded, forward 8ft. 11in., aft 10ft. 11in.; draft light, forward 5ft. 6in., aft 6ft. 9in.; speed, nine knots; passenger accommodation, 18 saloon.
SOUTHERN CROSS, 282 tons G.R., 158 tons N.R., mean load draft 9ft. 6in., bunker capacity 30 tons, water ballast 30 tons, speed 7½ knots; passenger accommodation, 24 saloon, 10 steerage.
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NEW small Cruising Yacht, splendid cond., complete, must sell, barg., £35. A. Burton, 164½ Glenmore-rd.

OIL LAUNCHES, and Oil Launch Engines, De Dion, cheapest and best. C. Highland, 93 Market-st.

OUTRIGGER, in splendid order, built by Messenger, for SALE, cheap. F. B. Newton, A.U.S.N. Wharf.

OIL LAUNCHES, complete, and Oil Launch ENGINES, 2½ to 60-h.p., 1902 models.
Full particulars on application.
J. F. M'DERMOTT and COMPANY,
37 Market-street.
'Phone, 2671.

SMALL RATER, 18ft. O.A., 14ft. W.L., Sails and Gear complete, cheap. Kaikoura, Shadforth-st., Mosman.

TEN-FT. Sailing DINGY, complete, £2 10s, at Vipond's, Rushcutter Bay.

WANTED, small suit SAILS for 12ft. Dingy. Price, &c., to H. A., Post-office, Botany.

WANTED, H.D. Pleasure BOAT, 20ft., for cash, exchange Racing Dingy. Garrick, chemist, Circular Q.

YACHT wanted, well found, about 5 or 6 tons. State price. E. P., Herald.

PLAIN Black Lustres, Summer Weight, from 1s yard, splendid value. Edward Hordern's, 668 George-st.

Municipal Elections.

KATOOMBA MUNICIPAL ELECTION.—Vote for A. J. CRAIG, the Independent Candidate.

BOROUGH OF MOSMAN.
NOTICE is hereby given that the following Gentlemen have been duly Nominated as Aldermen and Auditors:—
As ALDERMEN:
NORTH WARD.
JAMES JOHN GLOVER, Freeholder and Storekeeper, Military-road, Mosman.
GOWRIE HASTINGS RUTHVEN, Produce, Wood, Coal, and Coke Merchant, Raglan-street, Mosman.
EAST WARD.
FREDERICK RESOLUTE STRANGE, Auctioneer, Canaipa-street, Mosman.
SYDNEY HOLLAND CABBAN, Builder, Bradley's Head-road, Mosman.
WEST WARD.
SYDNEY SMITH, Commercial Broker, Glover-street, Mosman.
GEORGE WASHINGTON WALKER, Produce Merchant, Keston-avenue, Mosman.
As AUDITORS:
JOHN EDGAR HARTLEY HELLAWELL, Accountant, Lennox-street, Mosman.
ALMA WILLIAM WHITE, Accountant, Prince-street, Mosman.
(Elected Unopposed).
There being a greater number of Candidates Nominated as Aldermen for North, East, and West Wards than required to fill these vacancies, a POLL will be taken on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8th instant, at the following places, commencing at 8 a.m. and closing finally at 8 p.m.:—
NORTH WARD.—At the Council-chambers, Military-road.
EAST WARD.—At the old Council-chambers, Military-road.
WEST WARD.—At Shop opposite Lewis's, Mosman Bay Wharf.
CITY POLLING BOOTH.—For North, East, and West Wards, at the Wool Exchange, Macquarie-place, Sydney.
The Official Declaration of the Poll will be made at the Council-chambers, Military-road, Mosman, on MONDAY, February 10th instant, at 8 a.m.
H. W. HORNING,
Mayor and Returning Officer.
Council-chambers, Mosman,
February 4, 1902.

MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

DARK Ground Prints, wonderful washers, wear like wire, 3s 3d Dress. Edward Hordern's, 668 George-st.

Lost and Found.

CONNELLAN'S "Baby Sweet" Soothing Powders, "Helps baby lots." Chemists, 1s; or Box 421, G.P.O.

HALF-SOVEREIGN Reward for recovery Metal Discs lost in some Grainus Porridge Food packets.

ITALIAN Greyhound Dog, Dodger, Thurs., N. Syd., name on col., detainer prosecuted. 4 Ridge-st., N. Syd.

LADY who found PURSE, Glebe tram, Thursday night, please leave with Mr. Gallagher, grocer, Glebe.

LOST, Black and Tan PUP, stumpy tail. Reward, 6 Davidson-st., Balmain.

LOST, Monday, 3rd, Gold LOCKET or Pearl Beads, keepsake, contg. hair. Reward, 192 Harris-st., Pyrmt.

LOST, green Russian Leather POCKETBOOK, papers, &c., C.F.C. Rew. 40 Hunter-st., Express Messen. Co.

LOST, bet. Fitzroy and Parkes sts., Milson's Pt., blk. lace Mantle, fnd. ret. Subscriber's rm., N. Sh. Wh'f, C.Q.

LOST, Bunch of KEYS, between Darlinghurst and city. Reward, Wirringa, 105 Victoria-st. N.

LOST, gold cable Bangle, M.S. and seal, Darlinghurst, Flinders-st., or tram, reward. 78 Bondi-rd.

LOST, between Market-st. and Paddington, gold BROOCH, reward. Mrs. Riggs, 65 Edward-st. P'mont.

LOST, Coral NECKLACE, old relic. Kindly leave 379 Liverpool-st., Darlinghurst. Reward.

LOST, January 30th, Grey and Scarlet African PARROT. Reward at 16 Johnston-st., Annandale.

LOST, Gold Plate and 3 Teeth on Monday last. 5s reward. 212 Elizabeth-st.

LOST, Crown-st., bet. Campbell and Fitzroy sts., 1 Tan Boot, new, mended. Ret. Quan's Htl., Crown-Fitzroy sts.

LOST 7th instant, Red Jacobin Pigeon, ringed, No. 566. Reward on returning to 95 Ultimo-st., Sydney.

LOST, between Summer Hill and Ashfield, Sword-hilt PIN. Reward. 8 Moonbie-st., Summer Hill.

LOST, Feb. 1, in city, Bird PIN, diamond attached. Reward. Farmer and Co., jewellers, Hunter-st.

LOST, from Newtown, green Bullen Bullen PARROT. Reward, 45 Bedford-st., Newtown.

LOST, Black BAG, containing books, whilst driving in western suburbs. News Agent, Johnston-st., An'dale.

LOST, Wed. evening, White Fox and Bull DOG, one black ear, reward. 61 Holterman-st., N. Sydney.

LOST, Friday morning, Black Terrier PUP, long ears, short tail. Reward. 34 Bayswater-rd.

LOST, small Gold NECK-CHAIN and Heart, near West's, chemist, Glebe. Rew., 112 Glebe-rd., Glebe.

LOST, between L'hardt term. and wharf, Gold Locket and chain, bet. 7 and 7.30 Sat. Rew. 157 P'matta-rd.

LOST, last Saturday, Leichhardt, Gold BROOCH, Diamond Pearl Crescent. Reward. 124 Norton-st.

LOST, Thurs. night, Pair Gold SPECTACLES in case. Finder please return to 80 Clarence-st., Sydney.

LOST, brown and white marked Collie DOG, named Laddie. Rew., Palmer, 290 P'matta-rd., P'sham.

LOST, the Morning Headache, now that I stick to DICKENS' WHISKY.

LOST.—£5 Reward.—Australian Broken-haired TERRIER BITCH, long, silky coat, light-coloured head, tooth missing lower jaw in front.
115 York-street.

LOST, on 30th January, a gentleman's single Diamond RING, with inscription inside. Reward on returning to LAURANCE PHILLIP,
9 Jersey-chambers, 334 George-street.

LOST, cream-coloured Yorkshire Terrier SLUT, £1 reward.
S. B. BURGE, opp. Bishop's front gate,
Randwick.

LOST in 5.30 train Sydney-Ryde, pair gold-mounted SPECTACLES. Reward.
C. H. RAY, Income Tax Department; or,
c.o. Stationmaster, Ryde.

LOST, between St. Mark's Church, and Retford Hall, Darling Point, on WEDNESDAY last, round Pearl and Turquoise BROOCH. Reward.
Denholm, Darling Point.

LOST, Friday week, Tan Collie SLUT, white chest, black hairs on neck and tail. Anyone returning it or giving information that will lead to its recovery will be well rewarded. 65 Surrey-street, Darlinghurst.

LOST, between Lane Cove-road, North Sydney, and city, Gold Crescent BROOCH, with monogram M. B. in centre. Good reward on returning to A. J. BROWN, Dentist, 82 Lane Cove-road, N. Sydney.

ONE POUND REWARD.—Lost, £5 NOTE, Elizabeth Bay, by poor man. 91 Bayswater-rd.

ONE POUND REWARD. LOST, in 10.55 tram from Coogee, PART of a MICROSCOPE. Leave at
WIESENER'S, 334 George-street.

PARCEL REFERENCES Lost between Oxford-st. and city. Reward, Counter Clerk, Herald, King-st.

REWARD £2.—Bay MARE, hind foot white, lame in front, ear-marked. Bryant, Devine-st., Erskineville.

REWARD, £1.—Lost last wk., in town, Brooch, Onyx set gold, w. cn. Wansbeck, Nelson's Bay-rd., W'ley.

THREE SHEEP strayed, good reward. H. R. Steward, Steward-st., 2 min. tram terminus, Leichhardt.

FOUND, Chowder Head, Gold PENDANT, Spade Guinea on back. Box 824, G.P.O.

MARRICKVILLE Pound.—Bay Pony Mare, JF (conj.) over T nr. shlder., OO (conj.) on neck, O near thigh.

LIGHT Ground Prints, newest Designs, Fast Colours, 3s 3d Dress, at Edward Hordern's, 668 George-st.

PALING'S for 1s Ticket Band Contest Art Union, drawn February 20th. 175 prizes, value £775.

WASHING Blouses, newest shapes, colours guaranteed fast, 2s 11d. Edward Hordern's, 668 George-st.

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NEWTOWN, SYDNEY.

Meetings.

Royal Exchange,
Sydney,
January 20, 1902.
TO HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR, TOWN HALL.
Sir,—On behalf of the following bodies:—
Sydney Chamber of Commerce
Australian Federal League
Chamber of Manufactures of N.S.W.
Institute of Architects
Chamber of Mines
Institute of Surveyors
Master Builders' Association
Brick Masters' Association
Pastoralists' Union
Warehousemen's Association
Underwriters' Association
Associated General Merchants and Importers
Steamship Owners' Association
The Royal Society,
I have the honour to ask you to call a PUBLIC MEETING of Citizens, to be held in the Town Hall, to urge upon the Federal Parliament the necessity of bringing the Federal Site Question to a definite issue.
I have the honour to be, Sir,
Yours obediently,
EDWARD H. ROGERS,
President Sydney Chamber of Commerce.
To EDWARD ROGERS, Esq.,
President of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce.
Sir,—In response to the above request, I hereby convene a PUBLIC MEETING, to be held in the Town Hall, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the 13th instant, at 8 o'clock p.m.
THOMAS HUGHES,
Mayor.
THOMAS H. NESBITT,
Town Clerk.

N.S.W. TYPOGRAPHICAL ASSOCIATION.
The ANNUAL MEETING will be continued in the Association Room, Trades Hall, Goulburn-street, THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING, 8th February, 1902, at 8 o'clock.
Business: Proposed alteration of Rules 17, 19, and 20; resolution for registration under the Industrial Arbitration Act; and other business in accordance with rules.
Financial Members only.
By order.
E. HARRISON HURLEY, Secretary.

PATRIOTIC PUBLIC MEETING.
Under the auspices of the
AUSTRALIAN NATIVES' ASSOCIATION.
NEWTOWN HALL, SYDNEY,
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, at 8 p.m.
His Worship the Mayor will preside.
A. M'GUIRE, General Secretary.

MORT'S DOCK AND ENGINEERING COMPANY, Limited, Mort's Bay, Balmain.
ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING.
The Ordinary General Half-yearly MEETING of this Company will be held at the Head Office, Balmain, on FRIDAY, the 28th instant, at 3.30 p.m.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd to the 28th instant inclusive.
J. P. FRANKI.
Manager.

CITY and SUBURBAN RUGBY FOOTBALL UNION
FIRST ANNUAL MEETING,
MONDAY NEXT, 8 p.m., 10th February, 1902,
Aarons Exchange Hotel, Gresham-street.

L.O.L. OF N.S.W.—Annual INSTALLATION of Grand Lodge OFFICERS, Protestant Hall, TUESDAY Next, 11th instant, at 8 p.m. All members are invited to attend. A. J. S. GILCHRIST, G.S.

THE SYDNEY JEWISH AID SOCIETY.
The Sixth Annual General MEETING of this Society will be held in the Great Synagogue-chambers, 166 Castlereagh-street, TO-MORROW, SUNDAY, 9th inst., at 10.45 a.m. precisely.
The attendance of Members and others interested is particularly desired.
LEON L. COHEN, Hon. Secretary, 173 Pitt-street.

SHIP Painters and Dockers' Union.—Special MEETING on Monday, Feb. 10, at 7.30 p.m., Rooms, Dick's Hotel, Beattie-street, Balmain. Business: Adoption of rules re Arbitration Act. R. MAHONY, Secretary.

WOMAN'S PROGRESSIVE ASSOCIATION, School of Arts, Feb. 11th, 8 p.m. Mr. R. D. MEAGHER, M.L.A. Romantic Development of Australia. Explorer's Exploits.

THE SYDNEY HYDRAULIC AND GENERAL ENGINEERING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the first Half-yearly Ordinary General MEETING will be held at the Company's Registered Offices, Mutual Life of New York Building, Martin-place, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 14th February, 1902, at 12.15 p.m.
The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 3rd to the 14th February, 1902, both days inclusive.
BUSINESS:
To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the half-year ended 31st December, 1901.
To transact such other business as may be brought forward in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board.
TOM DICKINSON,
Manager.
Mutual Life of New York Building,
Martin-place, Sydney,
30th January, 1902.

THE SYDNEY AND SUBURBAN HYDRAULIC POWER COMPANY,
Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Annual Ordinary General MEETING will be held at the Company's Registered Offices, Mutual Life of New York-building, Martin-place, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 14th FEBRUARY, 1902, at 12 noon.
The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 3rd to the 14th FEBRUARY, 1902, both days inclusive.
BUSINESS.
To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for the year ended 31st DECEMBER, 1901.
To elect two Directors in the place of Mr. COATES and Mr. ANGUS, who retire in conformity with the Articles of Association, and are eligible for re-election, and offer themselves accordingly.
To elect two Auditors for the year 1902, in place of Messrs. H. D. VANE and J. E. BOWES, who seek re-election, and to fix their remuneration for the year.
To transact such other business as may be brought forward in conformity with the Articles of Association.
By order of the Board.
TOM DICKINSON,
Secretary.
Mutual Life of New York-building,
Martin-place, Sydney,
30th January, 1902.

THE SYDNEY MEAT-PRESERVING COMPANY Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixty-second Half-yearly General MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Company's Head Offices, Mutual Life-building, Martin-place, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of February, 1902, at noon,
To receive the Directors' Report and Balance-sheet to 31st December, 1901, and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting in conformity with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board of Directors.
JOHN B. C. MILES,
Secretary.
Mutual Life-building, Martin-place,
Sydney, 28th December, 1901.

NORTH COBAR COPPER-MINING COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that a General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at 12 noon on WEDNESDAY, February 12 next, at the Company's Office, No. 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for Half-year ended December 31 last, to elect a Director in lieu of the late Hon. G. H. Cox, and two Auditors in lieu of Messrs. J. C. Taylor and J. C. Cattell, who retire and are eligible for re-election, and to transact any other business that may be brought forward in accordance with the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS, Manager.
Sydney, January 15, 1902.

NEW REDHEAD ESTATE AND COAL COMPANY, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Half-yearly General MEETING of the Company will be held at 2 p.m., on THURSDAY, the 20th February, 1902, at the Company's Office, 131 Pitt-street, Sydney, to receive Directors' Report and Balance-sheet for half-year ended December 31 last, and to transact general business.
By order of the Board.
LEONARD DODDS,
Sydney, January 28, 1902. Manager.

BARTON and Lord Hopetoun, "That Fallen Angle," 20 pages illust. and up-to-date matter. 1d everywhere.

JUST Opened, Beautiful Designs, Floral Muslins, 3s 9d the Dress. Edward Hordern's, 668 George-st.

MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For Sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

Calls and Dividends on Shares.

LAKE VIEW CONSOLS, Limited.
CANCELLATION OF DIVIDEND.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Dividend of 2s 6d per Share advertised as payable on 21st February has been CANCELLED.
By order.
H. M. BRISTOWE,
Local Secretary.
Brookman's-building, Grenfell-street, Adelaide,
5th February, 1902.

WHITE CALICOES, special purchase, yard wide, 3s 11d doz., pure cloth. Edward Hordern's, 668 Geo.-st.

LAST Days for Tickets, 1s, Band Contest Art Union, 175 prizes, value £775. Bruce, 305 Pitt-st.

Naval and Military Notices.

N.A.V. Rifle Club.—Shooting Postponed, no targets available. G. J. Williamson, Sub. Lieut., Secretary.

MEN'S Summer Washing Coats, newest shapes, from 3s 6d. Edward Hordern's, 668, 670 George-street.

MANLY.—BUSINESS SITES on the CORSO. For Sale on Ground THIS DAY, 3. Raine and Horne.

Legal Notices.
(Continued from page 15.)

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ANNIE HOWARD, late of Islington, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WILLIAM HOWARD, the Executor named in the said Will; and all notices are to be served at the undermentioned address. WILLIAM HOWARD, Fern-street, Islington.

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(Continued from page 11.)

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COUNTERS, Glass Showcases, Shop and Office Fittings, new and s.h., cheap. Childs and Knopp, 115 Liv'pl.-st.

TOURIST AGENCY.—Bohemian Gipsy, 297 Pitt-st., city.

WHITE Washing Japanese Silks, 1s 3d yard, special value. Edward Hordern's, 668, 670 George-st.

TANKS, 400 gallons, best London make. J. T. and J. Toohey, Ltd., Standard Brewery, Elizabeth-st.

FOR SALE, 6 Cedar Window SASHES, each 10 x 4, and glazed, 9 panes, 3 x 2. Apply 534 George-st., Sydney.

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BLACKBERRIES for Preserving, Syrup, Vinegar, &c. Circulars, E. Harper, Sherbrooke, Bulli.

SUMMER Dress Materials, splend. assortment of newest goods. Edward Hordern's, 668 George-st.

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EUREKA Gas STOVE, almost new, No. 201, bargain. Apply Levi's news agency, Geo.-st., Camperdown.

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FOR SALE, Quantity FERNS and Bushhouse Plants. Mrs. Simson, Kirn Bank, Arthur-st., Croydon.

SOME TIMBER, Ladders, Carpenter's Bench, and Gal. Iron, &c. W. J. Pope, Water-st., Camperdown.

SET Galv. Fixed Tubs, complete, 10s 6d, nly. new; Sideboard, p.-g. back, 28s 6d. Opp. P.O., Geo.-st. West.

FOR SALE, cheap, a quantity of FRAMES and Sashes, new. 91 King-st., Newtown.

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GOLD Hunting Waltham Lever, compensated, pawned £2 10s, sell ticket cheap. Box 1471, G.P.O.

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FOR SALE, Operating Chair, well upholstered, and in good condition, cheap. Hyam Hains, 243 Pitt-st.

Situations Wanted.

A.—Compt. Maid and Needlewoman, 1 child (4 years), refs. Misses Cohen, 56 Elizabeth-st.

A COMPETENT Cook Disengaged, private family, L. C., 63 Stanley-st., Hyde Park.

A GENERAL servant wants SITUATION, good refs. Competent, P.O., Glebe.

AN experienced nurse wishes Entire CHARGE 1 or 2 children, refs. Nurse, P.O., Glebe.

A RESPECTABLE Lad wants SIT., accus. horses, good driver, small wages, home. 144 Underwood-st., Pad.

AS Housekeeper by Lady, domesticated. Address J. W., 179 William-st.

AS Nurse, private family, good needlewoman, fond of children. C. J., Herald.

A SITUATION wanted, boarding-house or private fam., wages 10s. Joe, 9 Swan-st., Haymarket.

A light help, homely Christian people, good home chief object. Annie, Dulwich Hill P.O.

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AT SHAMROCK AGENCY, 63 Castlereagh-st.—Waiting Engagement, gd. Gens., Cooks, and Laundresses.

A YOUNG MAN, just returned from S. Africa, would like POS. as night watchman. A. D., Enmore P.O.

A YOUNG Person would give her services passage to England, nurse, companion. English, Wm.-st. P.O.

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BY middle-aged Widow, Housekeeping, good cook and manageress, fond children, high refs. S. H., Herald.

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BY RESP. Girl, SIT. as Nursery Housemaid, Nurse, or light General; refs., open 3 days. E. D., G.P.O.

BY y. M.C., good cook, h'keeper, man good horseman, gen. useful, country or town. Agent, 441 Bourke-st.

BY young Man, Sit. as Groom, garden and milk if required, prov. or board.-house, refs. Joe, Herald.

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BY good gardener, WORK, by day or weekly. Gardener, P.O., Newtown.

BY lady pianist, afternoon or evening ENGAGEMENTS, terms mod. M. E. C., Milson's Point P.O.

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SPECIAL Line Straw Hats, 3s 6d each, worth 4s 11d. See this line. Edward Hordern's, 668, 670 George-st.

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CHINESE, exp. cook, would give £3 for PLACE in £.c. hotel, where kit. m. is kept. C. S., 80 Campbell-st.

COUNTRY Girl would like SIT., light General, Paddington preferred. Thorburn, P.O., Woollahra.

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Ability, P.O., Paddington.

EDUCATED, musical young lady would like SIT. as lady help. Y.W.C.A., Victoria Markets.

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SUP. country Girl seeks SIT. as light Gen., Pad. or Woollahra pref. Apply A. A., Woollahra P.O.

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SPECIAL Purchase DOYLEYS.—To clear we are selling at 1½d each. Edward Hordern's, 668 George-st.

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WANTED, by young Woman, Washing, Cleaning, or Mending by the day. 25 Bourke-st.

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WANTED, by respectable young Woman, Washing or Cleaning by the day. Mrs. Turner, P.O., Padnton.

WANTED, by Widow, 35, no children, Situation Work. H'keeper, sm. fam., gd. manag. M. B., P.O., Epping.

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WANTED, by young woman with a child, 4 yrs., SIT., general, good cook, refs. A. B., P.O., George-st. W.

WANTED, SITUATION, housemaid or waitress, country hotel. A. T., Darlington P.O.

YOUNG Lady, strong, seeks Employment as General near Dulwich Hill. A. B. C., P.O., Marrickville.

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YOUNG Woman will give Services return for Passage England, domest., personal ref. J. A., Glebe P.O.

Y.—Exp. GENERAL wants place near city, in s. fam., no shirts, 12s, g. refs. Layard, 25 Eliz.-st. T. 2271.

YOUNG Man desires WORK, good home, wages moderate. By letter, Morris, Belmont House, Wyny'd-sq.

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YOUNG Lady would like Pos. as Companionable Help to lady, small fam. A. B., Marrickville P.O.

YOUNG Lady wishes POSITION Lady Help, all duties but washing, sm. fam., salary. Como, Waverley P.O.

YOUNG lady des. POS. as help and companion in small family, musical, domest. Music, P.O., Newtown.

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Z.—N.W. Assn. Agency.—Waitr., H'mds., Gens., C. and Le., Gard., Grooms, G.U. 56 Gou.-st. West.

YOUNG Woman requires SITUATION, Cook and L., refs., Darlinghurst pref. May, William-st. P.O.

LADIES' Black SKIRTS, special line, 2s 11d, at Edward Hordern's, 668 Brickfield-hill.

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GLOVES at LESS than Manufacturers' Cost.
50 doz. Lisle Thread Gloves, Black and White Stitchings; usual prices, 12½d, 1s 3½d, 1s 6½d per pair; Sale Prices, 8½d, 10½d, and 1s 3½d.
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The Best Assortment in Sydney of Children's Lisle Thread Gloves, in Black, White, and Colours, at 8½d, 10½d, and 1s a pair.
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A COMPETENT GENERAL, 2 in family, good wages. Trust, Randwick P.O.

A COMPT. GENERAL, all duties, two in fam., refs. Tamar, Raglan-st., Mosman.

A.—Cook and Laun., N. line, 20s; Bowenfels, 15s; Gen., Katoomba, 12s; G. and N. Cohen, 56 Eliz.-st.

A GENERALLY useful GIRL required. Apply personally or by letter, Elyod, Bridge-rd., Epping.

A GOOD compt. General SERVANT, good wages, refs. Mrs. E. J. Smith, Glenlewis, Walker-st., Lav. Bay.

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AN experienced House and Parlour MAID, housemaid kept, refs. req. Mrs. H. Cunningham, 50 D'hurst-rd.

A LADY Help, Nursery Housemaid, Cook and L., Gen., small family, interview 11. Miss Blair, 117 Strand.

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A RESPECTABLE middle-aged Woman, used to household duties, wanted. Apply at 142 Bourke-st., Syd.

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AT TYRECOURT, nr. M'Mahon's Pt. Whf., N. Syd.—a good GENERAL wanted, easy situation.

AT Mrs. PETERS, top Hunter-st., 114, Cook, Laundress, stat., fem. Cook, 15s, 3 in fam., sub., G. St., 17s.

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A USEFUL GIRL, to assist housework. App. 9 to 10 a.m., Guyiyn, 128 Victoria-st. N., Darlinghurst.

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A YOUNG Person, GENERAL, plain cooking, housemaid kept. 26 Wynyard-square.

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A GENERAL, thorough, comfortable situation, 2 in family, no children, stairs, scrubbing, or shirts, gas stove, wear cap, no Catholics, up to date refs, liberal wages. St. Albans, Waverley-crescent, near council-chambers.

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LADIES' KNICKERS and CHEMISES, nicely trimmed, 1s 6d, at Edward Hordern's, Brickfield-hill.

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COMFORTABLE Home offered resp. woman, light dut., mod. wa. Apply, after 9 a.m., 95 Riley-st., W'mooloo.

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EXP. Cook, 20s, 25s, hotel, P'matta; Cook, L'dress, 18s, Manilla stn.; Cook, 17s, doctor's house, city; 17s 6d, stn., Hay; Cook and L'dress, Condobolin stn., £45, 3 adults; 2 Friends, £75, stn., South line; Cook, 15s, Double Bay, no laundry; Laundress, 16s, hotel, South Coast; 17s 6d, West, sub.; Waitress, 15s, l.c. hotel; 14s, Mt. Victoria; H'M., Waitress, 12s, 13s; H. P. Maid, 12s, Edgecliff; G. Servts., 15s, 20s, subs and c'try. 110 Bathurst-st.

GENERAL Servant and Nur. Housemaid, Mosman; meet lady 10.30. Miss Nisbet, 39 Elizabeth-st.

GENERAL SERVANT required, active, with refs., gd. wages. W. H. Miles, Mosely-st., Strathfield Station.

GIRL wanted, mind baby, good home and wages. 14 Bland-st., Woolloomooloo.

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GIRL, about 14 wanted to train for Housework in gentleman's family in country, must be of respectable family. Apply
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HOUSEMAN, Jap. or Cingalese, for one gent, City, 15s.; Jap. Boy for door, 10s. 76 Hunter-st.

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HOUSEKEEPER, station, wanted, good cook, with all duties, light place, about 15th February. By letter, age, ref., and wages required, to
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HOUSEKEEPER, young, superior, 12s, country township, int. 11 sharp; 12s, child not obj., 3 bach., N. line; 10s, city; Mother and Dtr., or Friends, £52, N. line, int. 10.30; £52, widower, 2 boys, Goulburn; 13 Cs. and Ls., 14s to 25s, town, ctry., gd. places; 23 G. Servs., 12s to 20s, town, ctry.; Hmd., 2 in fam., 12s, ctry town; Hm., L'dress, 15s, Temora; Cooks (3), 20s, stn., S. line; 14s, New Eng.; G.S., 2 in fam., 14s, city; 3 Hm., W'tress, same h., 12s, city; 2 Hms., city hotel; 2 Friends or G. Servants, 14s, 12s, same place. WILTON, 20 Elizabeth-st. Tel., 2091.

KITCHENMAN wanted, Union Club. Apply Chef, 9 a.m.

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MEN COOKS (2), 20s, hotels; Laundresses (3), 12s, 15s. Hough's Agency, 162-4 Castlereagh-st.

M. COUPLES, £80, cook and baker, wife h.m., l'dress, Cooma; £80, Coonamble, cook and baker, wife general, 2 family; £70, stn. hand, wife gen., 3 fam., West line; £60, 2 bachelors, Braidwood; £60, cook, wife h'kpr., S. l.; £70, Walgett; Man to attend to poultry, 15s, sub.; Groom and gard., 12s 6d, 15s; Youth, 8s. 110 Bathurst-st.

MARRIED Couple, stn. hand, wife G.S., 4 in fam., £75, Walgett; £70, Gunnedah; M.C., farm hand, caretakers, wife housekeep 2 bach., £65, Orange; £60, Harden; £60, child not obj., Wellington; M.C., garden and g. useful, wife C. and L., £65, suburb; Farm Hand, 14s, Harden; 2 Youths, 8s, city. WILTON, 20 Elizabeth-st. Tel., 2091.

REQUIRED, Lady HELP, state age, salary, &c. Cora Lynn, Palser-st., Woolwich.

RESP. young Woman as Mother's HELP, all duties, refs. Unumgar, Annandale-st., Annandale North.

RESPECTABLE GIRL, age 16, light housework, sleep at home, wages 6s. M., P.O., Alexandria.

RESP. clean GENERAL, middle-aged, plain cook, 4 fam., no washing, refs. Petersham Inn, P'matta-rd.

RESPECTABLE GIRL, light housework, no children, good home. Yatala, 5 Alma-st., Darlington.

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CHILDREN'S pretty Smocked FROCKS from 4s 11d at Edward Hordern's, Brickfield-hill.

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SMART superior M. Couple, practical gardener, milk, groom, and gen. usef., wife C. and L., capable and reliable, refs. exc., £70; sup. F. Cook (young), get up din., sup. parties, exc. ref. Misses Wilton, 20 Eliz.-st. Tel., 2091.

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